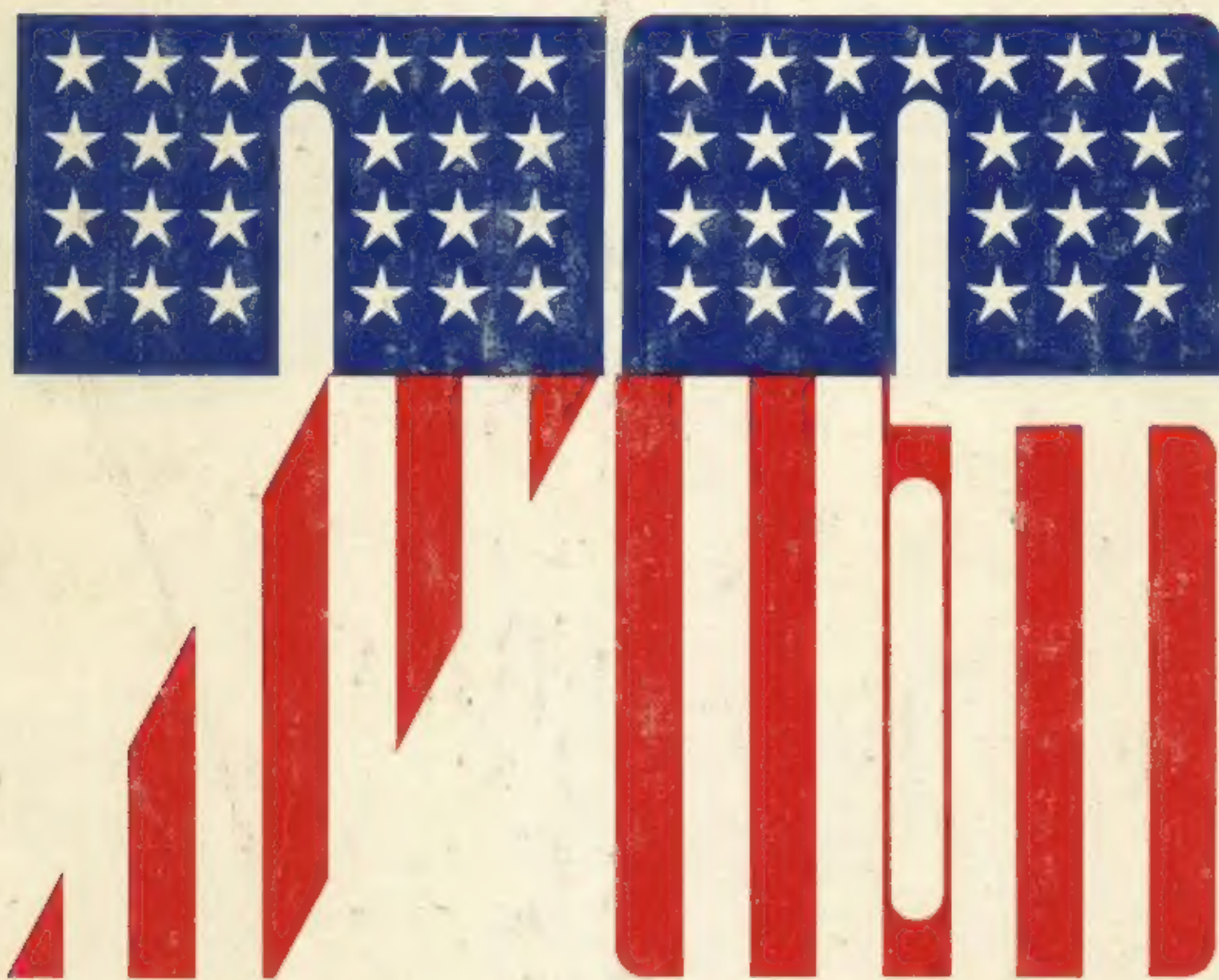


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DRAGON







Dragon

Gretna High School

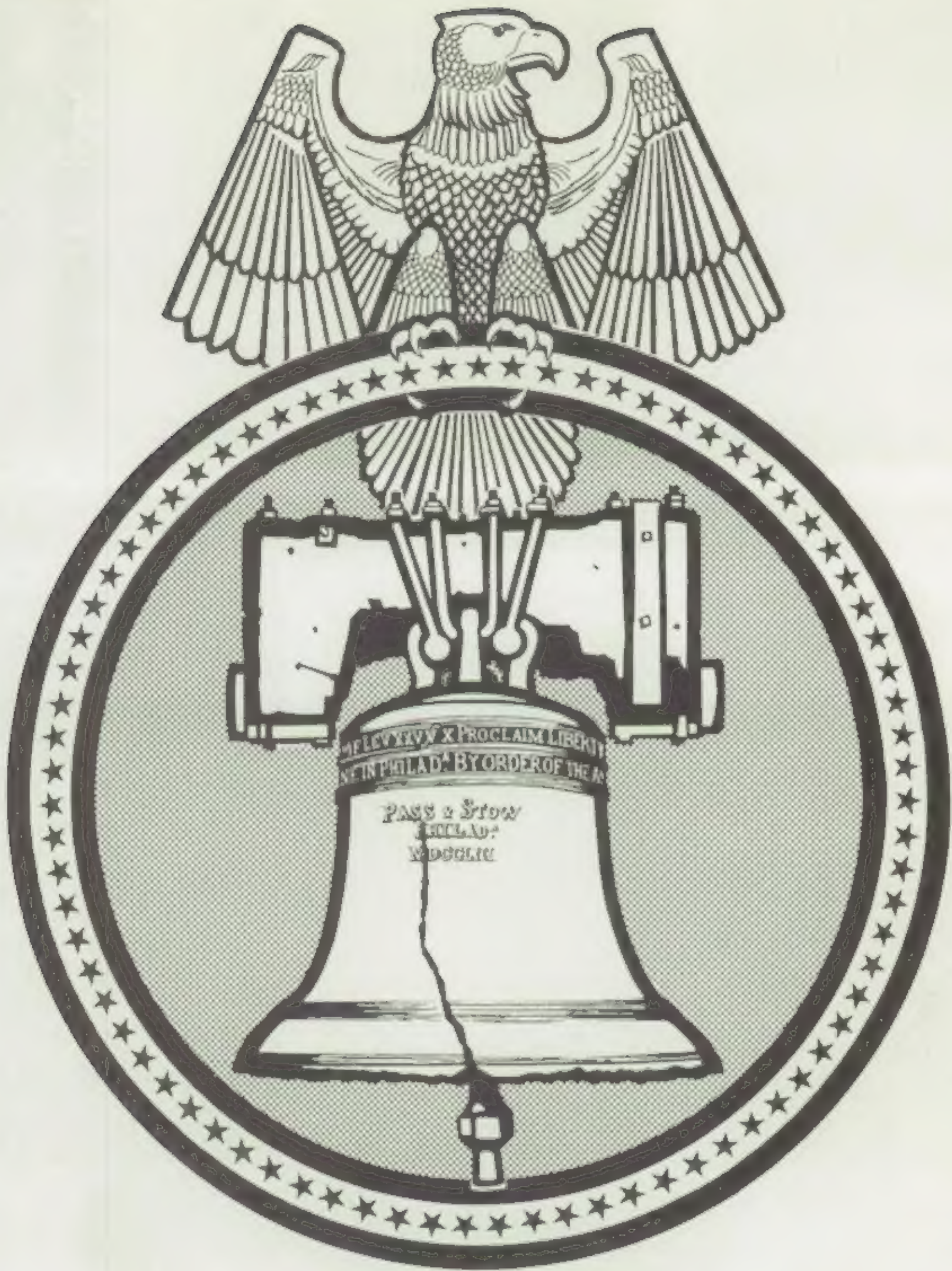
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Graduates

JOHN LA VERNE ALLBERY

Band, Brass Choir, Polka Band, Musical Football, Track, Basketball, Swing Choir, Hnr. Society, Student Council, Soloist

VICKI AMOS

Cheerleader, Girls' Glee, Mixed Chorus, Plays, Musicals, Science Club, Pep Club, FHA, Drama Club, Teachers' Assistant

DIANA T. ARREDONDO

FHA-Chairman, Librarian, Teachers' Assistant, Prom Server, Mixed Chorus



CATHERINE BARKLEY

Cheerleader, Pep Club, FHA-HERO, Music Madrigal Choir, Girls' Glee, Double Octet, Teachers' Assistant, Drama Club, Glee

CYNTHIA BERNADY

Musicals, Drama Club, Science Club, Art Club, Mixed Chorus, Pep Club, Plays, Girls' Glee

VICKI L. BEYER

Hnr. Society, Band, Chess Club, Music, Swing Choir, Triple Trio, Plays, G-Club, Track, Drama Club, Girls' Glee

TERI DOYLE BIGLEY

Pep Club Officer, Drama Club, Plays, Science Club, FHA-HERO, Mixed Chorus, Girls' Glee, Hnr. Society





MARK A. BOSAK

Art Club, Science Club, Football

DEBBIE L. BREY

FBLA, Music, Library Officer, Har. Society, Annual Staff, Spirit Club, Librarian, Drama Club, Science Club

CATHERINE J. CARL

Basketball, Librarian, Cheerleader-Capt. Swing Choir, Musix, G-Club, Soloist, FBLA Musicals, Annual Staff, Trio, Dble. Octet



LORI CARSTENS

Drama Club, Art Club, Science Club, Track, Prom Server, H. Court, Class Officer, Teachers' Assistant

DONALD COOPER, JR.

Basketball, Football, Track

ROBERT ALAN DIERS

Football, Golf, Track, G-Club, Stage Band, Drama Club



STEVEN J. DIETZE

Football, Track, Music, Swing Choir, G-Club, Band, Madrigal Choir, Science Club, Drama Club, Soloist, Boys Quartet

KEVIN DOBSON

Science Club, G-Club, Art Club, H. Court, Football, Wrestling, Golf, Track, Spirit Club, Journalism, Music Small Groups.



Someone please let me out.



PATRICIA DOHSE

Track, Basketball, Library Officer, Hnr. Society,
Pep Club, Annual Staff, H. Court, H. Court Princess,
Spirit Club, Plays

CECILIA DUKAT

Pep Club, Librarian, Music, FBLA Officer, FHA Of-
ficer, Science Club, Spirit Club, HERO, Girls' Glee

CYNDI ELLIS

Musicals, Cty. Govt. Day, FHA-HERO, Track Spirit
Club, Pep Club, Music, Art Club, Librarian, Drama
Club, Girls' Glee



DAVID W. ESSEN

Wrestling, Accompanist, Science Club, Band Vocal,
Music, Teachers' Assistant

TERESA PARIS

Annual Staff, Pep Club, Cheerleader, Art Club,
FHA, Hnr. Society, Spirit Club, Drama Club,
Library, Newspaper Staff



You're distracting me from my work!



BRUCE FESTER

Basketball, Football, Track, Teachers' Assistant

DAN GARDNER

Band, Cty. Govt. Day, Music, Drama Club, Hnr.
Society, Spanish Club, Vocal Small Groups,
Instrumental Small Groups





LONNIE D GLASSHOFF

Golf, Science Club, Drama Club, HERO Teachers Assistant

LYNNETTE HANNER

Art Club, Music, HERO, Drama Club, Mistress of Ceremonies-Homecoming, Librarian, Accompanist

RANDALL K HUETSON

Football, Basketball, Track, G-Club, FHA HERO, Drama Club Science Club

KATHY HURST

Annual Staff Cheerleader, Librarian, FBLA, Pep Club, Spirit Club, Music, Drama Club, Science Club

RONALD G ISKE

Science Club, Track, G Club, Teachers' Assistant

CANDY JACOBSEN

H Court, Cty Govt. Day Drama Club, Volleyball, Music, Spirit Club, Class Officer, Art Club, Track Prom Server

LARRY JOHNSON

Football, Wrestling, G Club, Spirit Club Musicals, Plays, Track, Science Club, Cty. Govt. Day, Chess Club FHA

CHRIS KALLAS

Football, Wrestling, Prom Server

LOIS KENNEL

Pom Pom, H Court, Prom Server, FHA, Track, Volleyball, Spirit Club, Music, Teachers' Assistant, Cty Govt Day, Class Officer

JERRY KITTOE

Wrestling, Golf, Track, Art Club

MIKE KOCH

Basketball, Track, Football, Golf, Band, Har Society, G Club, Drama Club, Class Officer, Music

JOSEPH F KRAJICEK III

Football, Wrestling, Track, Har. Society, G-Club, Prom Server, H King, Jr. Escort, Class Officer, Spirit Club

MARK LEWIS

Football, FHA HERO

MICHEAL McCALL

Football, Wrestling, Art Club, Track, Student Manager, Teachers' Assistant

KENT D McCLELLAN

Wrestling, G-Club

DAVE McNEEL

Wrestling, Track, G-Club

MARK R MINTKEN

Football, Basketball, Track, Golf, Science Club, Spirit Club, G-Club, Plays, Band, Musical, Drama Club, Mixed Chorus

PAT MOREARTY

Pom-Pom, Prom Server, Mistress of Cere., FHA, G-Club, Drama Club, Track, FBLA, H Court, Spirit Club, Mixed Chorus



PATTY NATH

Pop Club, Hnr. Society, Science Club, Cty. Govt Day, Musicals, Mixed Chorus, T. Ass't, FHA HERO Vice President and State Officer

CURT NOTHWEHR

Football, Basketball, Track, G-Club, H Court, Prom Server, Musical, Science Club, Cty. Govt. Day

CHERI RENAE OGG

Hnr. Society, Cheerleader, Student Council, Pop Club, Spirit Club, Music, H Court, Girls State Alt., Science Club





SCOTT L. PEARL

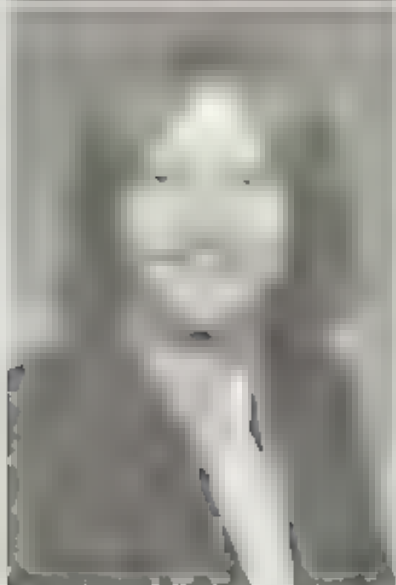
Marching Band, Brass Choir, Soloist, Band, Teachers' Assistant

GREG PHILLIPS

Football, Wrestling, Track, Art Club, Prom Server, H Court, Teachers' Assistant, Art Club Officer

DAVID RASMUSSEN

Wrestling, Annual Staff, Spanish Club, Teachers' Assistant



TERRI RETZLAFF

Cheerleader-Cap., Volleyball, FHA, Pep Club, Basketball, Hnr Society, Drama Club, Spirit Club, Track Band

SUE RISHEL

Science Club, Spanish Club, Pep Club, Annual Staff Play, Spirit Club, Drama Club, FBLA, Librarian, Musicals Music

DANNY ROGERS

Football, Track, Teachers' Assistant

DAVID RUESCHHOFF

Football, Art Club, G-Club

JIM SAWYER

Annual Staff, Science Club, Hnr. Society, Teachers Assistant

JEANNE SCHMID

G Club, Volleyball, H Court and Queen, Cty Govt Day, Spirit Club, PBLA Officer, Pep Club, Drum Majorette, Prom Server

WAYNE L. SHARPLES

Football, Wrestling, Track, Science Club, Plays Madrigal Choir, G-Club, Swing Choir, Musical, H Court, Band and Small Groups

DAVE SHEPHERD

Basketball, Football, Golf, G-Club, Prom Server Science Club, Band, Track

SUSAN M SORENSEN

Hnr. Society, Musicals, Plays, Girls State, FHA-HERO Officer, Cty Govt Day, Girls' Glee Trio, Mixed Chorus, Swing Choir, Drama Club

JULIE SPRINGER

Basketball, Volleyball, Track, Band, Pep Club, Science Club, Drama Club, G Club, Teachers Assistant, Cty. Govt. Day, Band Small Groups

JEFFREY SUHR

Football, Basketball, Wrestling, Track, G-Club Science Club, Drama Club, Musical, Mixed Chorus

CHUCK SYRING

Track, Cross Country, Art Club, G-Club, Chess Club Cty Govt. Day, Teachers' Assistant

KENT ROBERT TALMON

Football, Wrestling, Track, G-Club, Swing Choir, Drama Club, Student Council Officer, Hnr Society, Science Club, Band

I know the bell hasn't rung



BECKY S TJARKS

Mixed Chorus, FHA Club, Track, Basketball, Teachers Assistant

BRADLEY G TRAMP

Football, Basketball, Track, Science Club, G-Club, H Court, Cty Govt. Day, Plays, Mixed Chorus, Jr Escort, Boys' Glee

DEBI VENCIL

Class Officer, Drama Club, Science Club, Track, Prom Server, H Court, FHA, Mixed Chorus, CTY Govt Day, Librarian

VICKI VERBEFK

Pom Pom, Pep Club, G-Club, Hnr Society, H Court, Drama Club, Music, Prom Server, FHA, Volleyball, Science Club, Jr Escort

JOSEPH MARTIN WALSH

Band, Musicals, Plays, Cross Country, Track, G-Club, Hnr Society, Basketball, Class Officer, Swing Choir, Soloist, Boys Glee

RANDY YATES

Football Journalism, Chess Club

SENIORS NOT PICTURED

Bill Robison
Sandy McCormick
Bill Fink
Jim Shepherd
Teri Colton





SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS Mike Koch President Jeanne Schmid Vice President Lois Kennel Secretary Cindy Jacobson Treasurer



Bill Fink has finally revealed himself!



"Chowin' down?"



Activities



Left to right: King Joe Krajscek, Prince Kevin Dobson, Princess Patti Dohse, Queen Jeanne Schmid, Court Members: Doreen Vetter, Vicki Vetter, Pam Mersap, Lisa Kennel, Carol Oden, Tracy Ingham, Patricia Paton, Linda Green, Jennifer Schmid, King Joe Krajscek, Prince Kevin Dobson, and Northwest.

Head Table: Kevin Dobson, Vicki Vetter, Prince J. H. Smith, Mack Macken, Wayne Stropes, and Stage Manager: John Anthony and Mistress of Ceremonies Lynette Hunter.



Princess Patti Dohse, Queen Jeanne Schmid, King Joe Krajscek, Prince Kevin Dobson



Pat Morearty, Jeff Suhr



Candy Jacobsen, Curt Nothwehr



Vicki Verbeck, Mark Mintken



Patty Dohse, Kent Talmon



Jeanne Schmid, Joe Krajcek



Lee K... ..



Dob Vonell, Wayne Sharples



Lori Carstens, Kevin Dobeon



Cheri Ogg, Brad Tramp

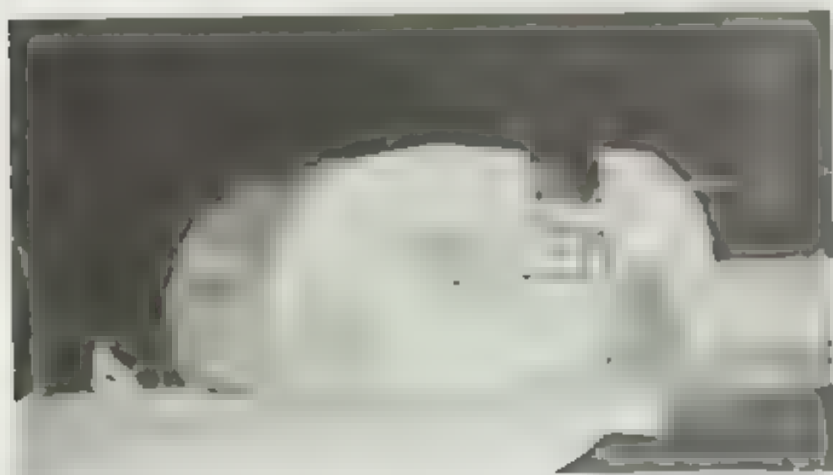
The Senior class carries out this year's theme of "The Spirit of 76", by winning the spirit stick. Float winners are as follows

- 1st... Junior Class
- 2nd... Senior Class
- 3rd... Freshmen

This Year three classes were elected to the LOSERS GALLERY and they are from TOP TO BOTTOM

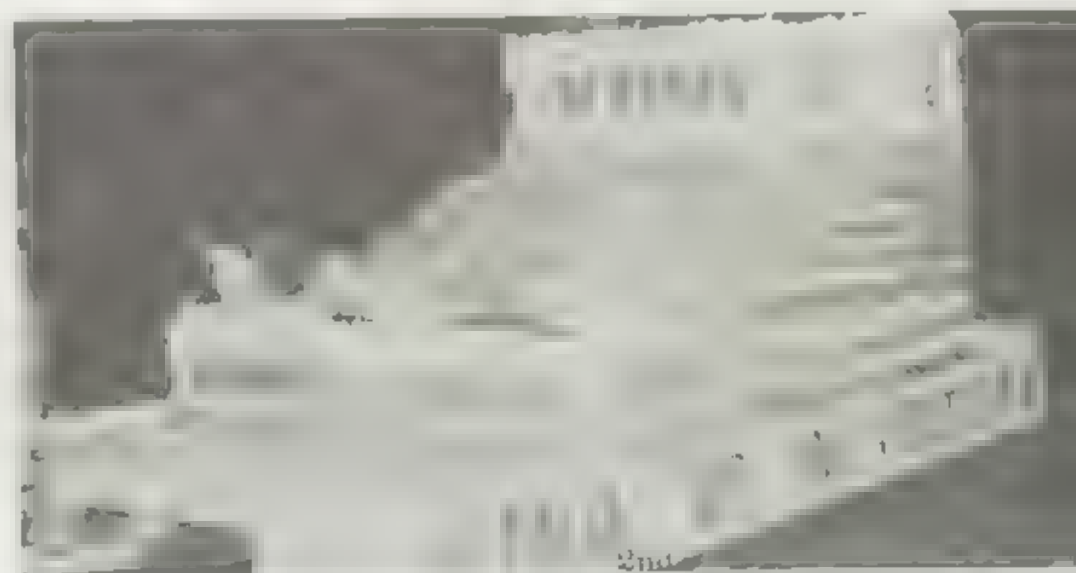
- 8th Grade
- 7th Grade
- Sophomores

At Thursday Nights Car Bash Mark stands by while Brade Demonstrates the correct way to dent a car roof



LOSERS GALLERY

FLOAT WINNERS





Master of the House, T. A. A. A.
Master of the House, T. A. A. A.



GUYS AND DOLLS

Pickpocket
Texan
Texan's wife
Photographer
Policeman Lt. Brannigan
Nicely Nicely Johnson
Benny Southstreet
Rusty Charlie
Sarah Brown
Arvid Abernathy
Mission Band
 Agatha
 Clover
 Corporal
 Martha
Harry the Horse
Nathan Detroit
Seranton Slim
Society Max
Miss Adelaide
Sky Masterson
Joey Blumore
Master of Ceremonies
Mimi
General Matilda B.
Cartwright
Big Joe
Drunk
Spanish Dancer
Waitress

Milt Steiner
Kent Talmon
Kim Bremer
Curt Nothwehr
Mike Koch
Greg Smith
Brian Egan
Chuck Treiber
Cathy Carl
John Albery

Dobbie White
Sue Glover
Steve Dietze
Lil Walsh
Bill Fink
Dan Gardner
Brad Tramp
Alan Meyer
Sue Sorenson
Joe Walsh
Dan Springer
Keith Hyatt
Peggy Ede

LeeAnn Thomas
Mike Zimmerman
Brian Albery
Priscilla Fisher
Joni Wollenburg



HOT BOX SINGERS AND DANCERS

Terri Coon	Tina Albery
Gail Horst	Connie Johansen
Barb Carl	Tina Zimmerman
Jane Michie	Penny Liebbeck
Bridget Phillips	Lori Schutt
Angie Carr	JoAnn Armbrust
Denise Schaefer	Leann Sawyer

MISSION SINGERS

Cathy Barkley
Barb Carl
DeAnn Hyatt
Joann Moken
Dorothy Walsh

The Guys and Dolls Musical was presented November 13-14 at the Creston High School Gym under the direction of Tim Fisher and Marilyn Lindstromberg. The musical featured the era of the roaring 30s and a romantic ending found leading performers Dan Gardner and Joe Walsh marrying their respective "dolls" Sue Sorenson and Cathy Carl.



UP THE DOWN STAIRCASE



Sylvia Barrett	Patti Dohse
Paul Barringer	Dan Gardner
Beatrice Schachter . .	Sue Glover
Ellen	Tina Allbery
Dr. Maxwell E. Clarke	
Principal	Randy Yates
James J. McHabe	
Administrative Asst	Dan Springer
Dr. Samuel Bester	
Chairman	
Language Arts Dept	Dan Springer
Ella Friedenberg	
Guidance Counselor	Vicki Beyer
Frances Egan	
School Nurse	Joanie Wollenberg
Charlotte Wolf	
Librarian .	Priscilla Fisher
Sadie Finch	
Chief Clerk	Barb Sorensen
Fran	Barb Sorensen
Katherine Wolzow	Terri Faris
Vivian Paine	Lisa Ferguson
Carrie Paine	Ann McBreen
Joe Ferone	Brian Essen
Helen Arbuzzi	Beth Ferguson
Carole Blanca	Joann Armburst
Alice Blake	DeAnn Hyatt
Harry A. Kagan	Greg Smith
Lou Martin	Butch Webber
Linda Rosen	Peggie Ellis
Rusty O'Brien	Butch Webber
Elizabeth Ellis	Lil Walsh
Jose Rodriguez	Keith Hyatt
Jill Norris	Penny Liebsack
Rachel	Penny Liebsack
Lennie Neumark	Chuck Trieber
Charles	Dave Rogers



SPORTS BANQUET



HONORS DAY



PROM



Welcome by Pat Phelan

TIME



Response and Wishes by Mike Koeb

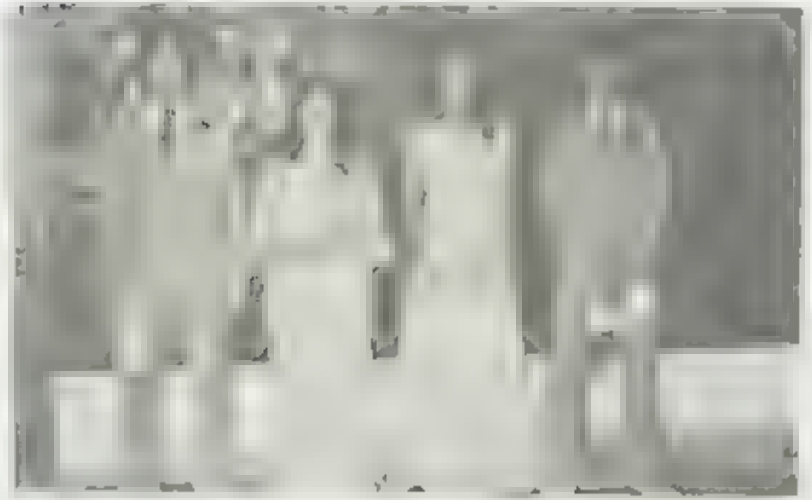




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BICENTENNIAL



Junior Prom: Steve Hays, Center, John Kay, Chay
and Mary



Commencement Address: Dr. Edward L. Denzka



Invocation: Rev. Walter D. Marshall



GRADUATION



Mr. Percy M. (left) and Mr. J. W. (right)



ODDS 'N ENDS





Organizations

ART CLUB



1ST ROW Clark Bierle, Ralph Svenningson, Greg Heigonsborn, Mike McCull, Mark Bueck, Greg Phillips, David Rouschoff 2ND ROW Kevin Dobson, Steve Bartunek, Cris Farris, Kelly Dobson, Connie Johansson, Butch Webber, Chuck Syring, Jerry Ehrenberg, Mark Hanner, Mrs. Cox 3RD ROW Teri Barnes, Mary Childers, Lynne Kover, Teri Farris

Lynette Hanner, Lori Carsten, Candy Jacobson, Lori Proctor, LeeAnn Thomas 4TH ROW J. Bunderson, Tim Lawry, Dan Kennel, Mark Kralick, Doug McCall, Annette Verbeek, Lori Ferdig, Rhonda Doshe, Nancy Weeks, Priscilla Fisher, Chris Carstens



Connie Johansson Sec., Greg Phillips Pres., Lynette Hanner Treas., Candy Jacobson V Pres.

The highlight of the year for the Art Club was completing the 18 foot Bicentennial mosaic mural for the lobby. Overall cost of the project was approximately \$1,000—half of the money was provided by the Nebraska Arts Council and the rest by candy and dragon sales.

Art Club members attended "The Growing Spectrum" Art Exhibit at Joslyn. This was an exceptional show and consisted of American Artists the past 200 years. Another tour was taken to Lincoln in the spring to commemorate our Bicentennial year.

The All Conference Art show was held in Lincoln April and the school show and dedication ceremonies were held in May.

Art students also completed 2 murals in the gym and conference banners for the mascots

This was an outstanding year for the club, and the whole student body is proud of it!

BAND



GREYNA HIGH MARCHING BAND Officers
 Brenda Fleck, Flute Beth Ferguson, Cindy
 Barkley, Peggy Ellis, Kathy Ostdiek, Lee Ann
 Thomas, Debbie White, Clarinet Tina Allbery
 Vicki Beyer, Barb Carl, Teri Colton, Carol
 Cooper, Sue Hintz Jan Kopplin, Judy Krajcek
 Cindy Lehman, Bridget Phillips, Sue Rogers
 Jean Schmid, Saxophone Linda B. Steve
 Condon, Gregg Dahlheim, Lynette Fink Tom
 Harst, Wayne Jess, Kris Karstens, Cindy
 Smith, Joni Wollenburg, Trumpets-Vicki
 Dicker Priscilla Fisher, Sue Glover, Tom Hinz
 Bob Mosby, Theresa Ostdiek, Marty
 Ostransky, Dan Schmidt, Jim Schmidt, Dave
 Smelter, Kent Talman, Dave Dohse, French
 Horn Brian Essen, Dan Gardner, Mike Koch
 Greg Smith, Lil Walsh, Trombone-Dave
 Spurgeon, Matt Umland Joe Walsh Scott Con
 don Baritone Bob Diers, Donna Mowinkle
 Dorothy Walsh, Basses-John Allbery, Steve
 Dietze, Dan Springer, Percussion Kim Bremer
 Dave Essen, Bill Fink, Jane Mielke, Wayne
 Sharples, Steve Steinauer





JR HIGH BAND FRONT ROW Kim Bartunek, Jan Odens, Diane Cooper, Beth Mason, Marla Ostransky, Debbie Dohs, Jodi Verreck, Carrie Snell, Tina Stottlemire, David Markle, Kedy McCormick, SECOND ROW Carrie Springer, Julie Frahm, Denise Brey, Robbie Goodnow, Greg Wagner, Ann Lar, Ann Kretschmer, Kris Bremer, Jane Fleck, Mark Spurgeon, Kris Suhr, THIRD ROW Steve Moore, Mr. Even-

son, Brian Phillips, Tom Kopplin, Jamie Smith, Linda Diers, Jeff Wullenburg, Scott Schmidt, Lee Tolliver, Larry Koke, FOURTH ROW Pat Cockertill, Bryan Sharples, Diane Fleck, Caroln Mosby, Marla Elia, Ann Sedlacek, Mary Conant, Jayne Fleck, Kathy Condon, FIFTH ROW David Dotze, Peter Gunderson, Susan Hemminger, Tom Osthus, Roger Beyer, Dan Hintz, Steve White, Connie Grant, Mike Schmid, Dianne Hintz.



JR HIGH STAGE BAND FRONT ROW Kris Suhr, Diane Fleck, Steve Moore, Kris Bremer, Julie Fleck, Mark Spurgeon, SECOND ROW Carolyn Mosby, Jamie Smith, Linda Diers, Jeff Wollenburg, Scott

Schmidt, Lee Tolliver, Larry Koke, THIRD ROW Brian Sharples, Peter Gunderson, Dan Hintz, Steve White, Connie Grant, FOURTH ROW Mike Schmid, Kim Bartunek, Ann Sedlacek, Pat Cockertill.



BAND COUNCIL SITTING Wayne Sharples, **STANDING** Debbie White, Dan Gardner, Wayne Jess, Tom Hintz, Sue Glover

CONCERT BAND Oboe, Vicki Verbeek, Brenda Fleck, Flute, Beth Ferguson, Cindy Barkley, Peggy Elias, Kathy Ostidiek, Lee Ann Thomas, Debbie White, Clarinet, Tina Allbery, Vicki Barb Carl, Teri Colton, Carol Cooper, Sue Hintz, Janette Kopplin, Judy Krajcsk, Cindy Lehman, Bridget Phillips, Sue Rogers, Joanne Schmid, Saxophones, Linda Biel, Steve Condon, Gregg Dahlheim, Lynette Fink, Tom Hurst, Wayne Jess, Kris Karstens, Cindy Smith, Joni Wollenburg, Trumpets, Vicki Dicker, Patricia Fisher, Sue Glover, Tom Hintz, Bob Mosby, Theresa Ostidiek, Marty Ostransky, Dan Schmidt, Jim Schmidt, Dave Smetter, Kent Talmon, David Dohse, French Horn, Brian Essen, Dan Gardner, Mike Koch, Greg Smith, Lil Walsh, Trombone, Dave Spurgeon, Matthew Umund, Joe Walsh, Scott Condon, Baritone, Bob Diers, Donna Mowinkle, Dorothy Walsh, Basses, John Allbery, Steve Dietze, Dan Springer, Percussion, Kim Bremer, Dave Essen, Bill Fink, Jane Muelke, Wayne Sharples, Steve Steinhauer



SOLOIST (TOP) David Dohse, Wayne Sharples, Bob Diers, Steve Steinauer, Dan Gardner, (NOT PICTURED Dee Chilcoat)

(RIGHT) Twirler; Nancy Weeks, Drum Major; Dave Smetter, Drum Majorette Jean Schmid



STAGE BAND (BOTTOM) FRONT ROW, Dan Gardner, Steve Steinauer, Wayne Jess, Cindy Smith, Gregg Dahlheim, Steve Condon, Wayne Sharples, BACK ROW Connie Grant, Dave Spurgeon, Joe Walsh, Dave Smetter, Jim Tapp, Bob Mosby Sue Glover, Priscilla Fisher, Kent Talmon, Bob Diers



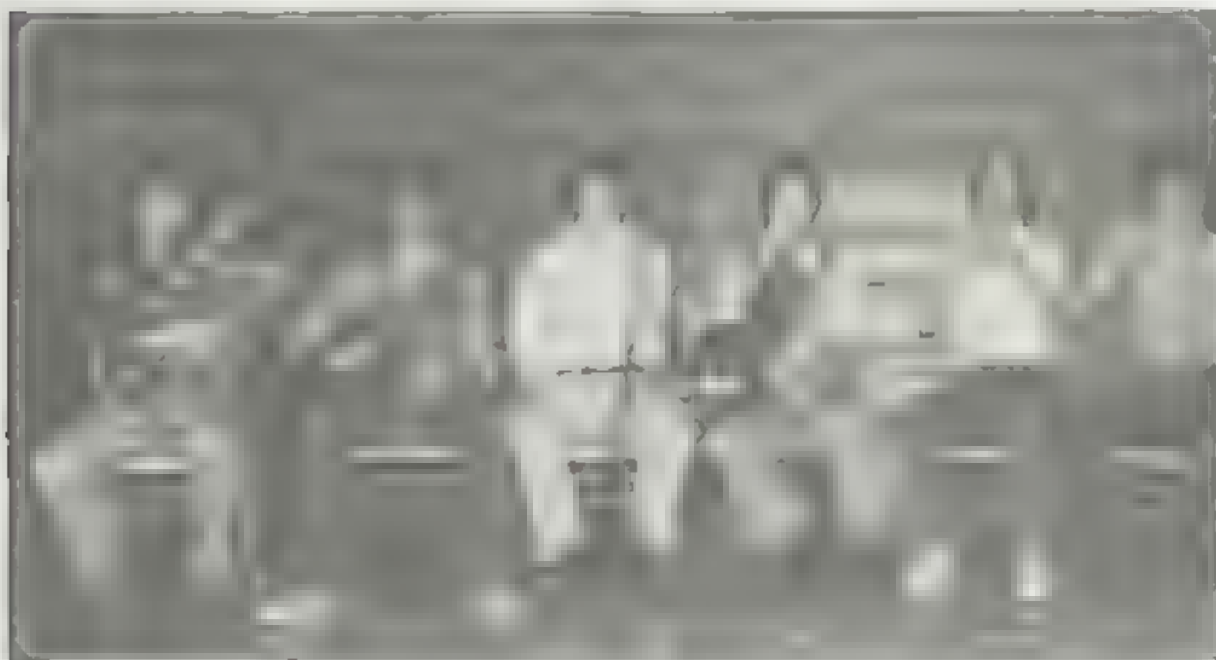
WAYNE SHARPLES MAKES ALL STATE BAND



MIXED CLARINET QUARTET: Bridget Phillips, Judy Kraycek, Joan Schmid, Barb Carr.



This year was the second year Wayne Sharples was in the All State Band. It was also his second year in the Hastings College Honor Band. He has received a superior on his drum solos every year (7-12). Wayne received the 1976 John Phillip Sousa Award, The District Musicians Certificate, and the 1976 Outstanding Bandsman Award. He also was chosen along with John Allbery to the 1975-76 All-American Hall of Fame Band Honors.



BRASS SEXTET: John Allbery, Bob Diers, Joe Walsh, Dan Gardner, Dan Smetter, Kent Talmon.



DRUM QUINTET: Dave Essen, Jane Mielke, Wayne Sharples, Steve Steinauer, Kim Bremer



CHESS CLUB



1ST ROW M. Lee, David, Matt Emery, Mike Smith 2ND ROW Gary, Fred, Craig, Mac, Joe, Steve, Susan, C. Lee, Mike, Lynn

DRAMATICS CLUB



1ST ROW Cheryl, Opp, Cath, J. Webb, S. Stevenson, Ter, Farris, S. Ly, Opp, Bob, S. Smith 2ND ROW Debbie, W. C. P. S. a Fisher, LeeAnn Thomas, Vicki Beyers, DeeAnn Hyatt, Suzi Glover, Dan Gardner 3RD ROW Cindy Ellis, Cathy Mather, Nancy Weeks, Barb Carl, Joni

W. C. P. S. a Fisher, Peggy, Farris, Beth, Ferguson 4TH ROW Dee, Ch. cent, L. W. C. P. S. a Fisher, Greg, Smith, John, A. bery, Pat, Dehse, Mrs. Lindstromberg

FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS OF AMERICA



1ST ROW Diane Schroeder, Sue Janousek, Sara Vencil, Mary Leehy, Rachel Oakerson, Sandy Ogg, RoxAnne Fester 2ND ROW Beth Ferguson, Linda Smith, Pat Morearty, Sue Rishel, Cathy Carl, Lois Kuppel, Cheryl Ogg, Karen Torgerson, Tami Bohling 3RD ROW Sandy McCormick, Jeanne Schmidt, Cindy Mather, Cindy Chard, Roynie Rife, Joan Weeth, Sponsor Mr. Pease



1975-76 was the first year for the FBLA. The club began organizing itself in November and finally had their formal induction on January 18, 1976.

In addition to bake sales, stick candy sales, and a valentine heart raffle (won by the sponsor Mr. Pease), the club helped plan and put on a Vocational Breakfast and a Vocational Career Day during February. They also helped raise money for March of Dimes with a Rock A Thon at the Gretna Bowling Alley, but the highlight of the year was the FBLA convention at the Omaha Hilton Hotel. Ten members attended this three-day convention, stayed overnight, competed in contests, and participated in the after-convention activities. The convention featured Cindy Drevo, State and National FBLA president, Mayor Ed Zorinsky, Governor James J. Exon, and Actor Bob Newhart.



Installation of The Gretna Chapter and officers by the Ralston Chapter. FRONT: Roynie Rife, News Reporter, Sandy McCormick, Secy. BACK: Jeanne Schmidt, Pres.; Cindy Chard, Historian, Joan Weeth, V. Pres.



Attending the Convention were 1ST ROW Rachel Oakerson, Diane Schroeder, Sue Janousek, Linda Smith 2ND ROW Sandy McCormick, Beth Ferguson 3RD ROW Mr. Pease, Sue Rishel, Cindy Chard, Mary Leehy, RoxAnne Fester

FHA-HERO



HERO 1st ROW: Cathy Barkley, Mrs. Ostransky 2nd ROW: Penny Nath, Cecil n Dukat, Mark Bosak, Mark Lewis, Judy Tjarks, Kerry Dobson, Sus Sorenson



Bi-Centennial fire hydrant

Future Homemakers of America—Home Economics Related Occupations is dedicated to certain principles. That we are all homemakers—men, women, children, and elderly—we all influence the quality of life in our homes. Young

people can develop leadership skills and we can learn from our failures.

In 1975-76 our second year of existence, FHA-HERO accomplished many successful projects in the areas of personal growth, family life, vocational preparation and community involvement.

Projects we have had this year—decorated community fire hydrants in Bi-Centennial design; co-sponsored career days for the Senior High; honored community leaders with a breakfast during Vocational Education Week; put up displays for the school Bi-Centennial fair; sponsored bake and take days for elderly in the community; conducted a Good Egg Campaign in the community; and dressed dolls for underprivileged children. The HERO section catered a 25th wedding anniversary reception.

This year FHA-HERO became integrated in the classroom which means in class projects are developed which relate to subject matter and to FHA-HERO purposes. Membership in FHA-HERO is open to all persons who take a class in home economics.



FHA-VICA Homecoming float



FHA Jr High 1ST ROW Mrs. Verbeek JoAnn Janowski Jane Birkhoff
Linda Janowski Cheryl Taylor Corinne Carr Beth Grubbs Jan Rita Hall
Doreen J. O'Brien Julie Peters 2ND ROW Laverne Keyes Heidi Simmons
Jayne Fleck Jody Verbeek Tammy Carl Mary Conant Chris Carr Mary
Frahm Debbie Duhoe Kathy Condon Kathy McCall 3RD ROW Chris

Bremer Carrie Springer Krista Nahr Lee Schreyer Debra Horat Beth
Diers Kay Smith 4TH ROW Rose Marie Latempa Judith Fleck A—
Sedlacek Marla Ellis Kim Carr Sheri Rowland Mar Ostronsky
Kim Bartunek Diane Fleck



FHA Sr High 1ST ROW Mrs. Verbeek Amy Hansen Sharon Kittoe
Barb Sorenson Terri Farris Jane Mielke JoAnn Armbrust Tina
Allbery Mrs. Ostronsky 2ND ROW RoxAnne Wheeler Gail Allbery
Theresa Ostdiek Joni Wollenburg Karen Snider Chris Fibich Stephanie

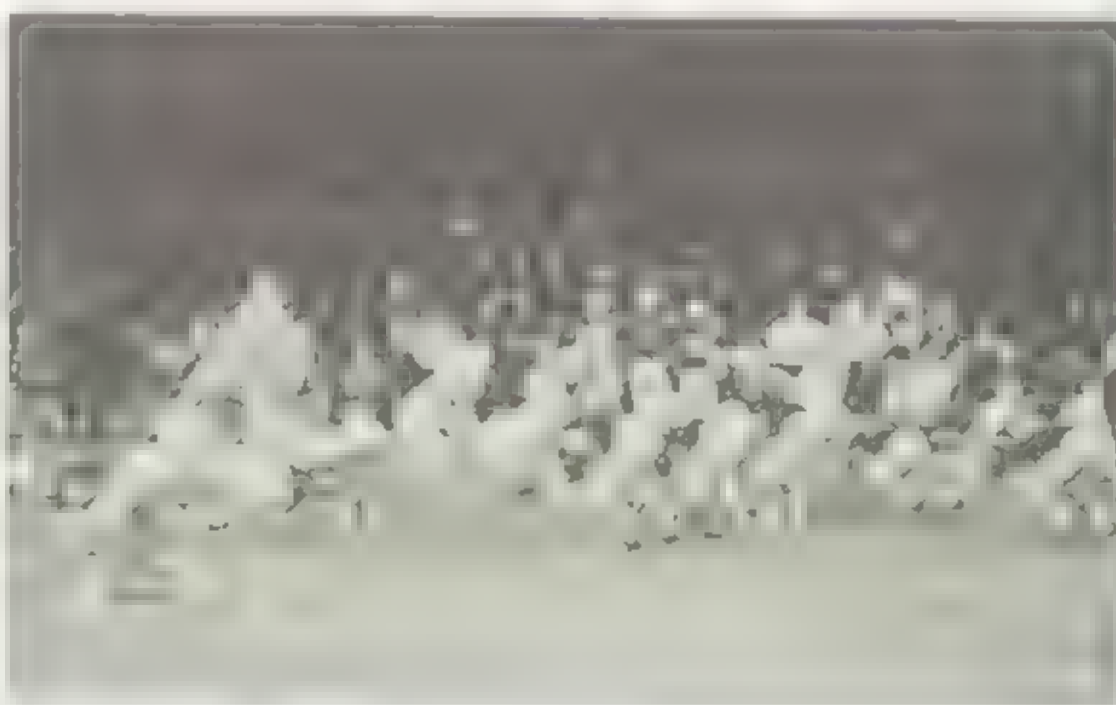
Helms Chris Carstens 3RD ROW RoxAnne Fester Brenda Fleck Mary
Lechy Sue Rishel Brenda Phillips Diane Schroeder Kim Bremer Angie
Carr 4TH ROW Judy Krajicek JoAnn Horat Annette Verbeek Tina
McCartor Rachel Oakerson Sara Vencil Cathy Ostdiek

G-CLUB



1ST ROW Kevin Dobson, Larry Johnson, Dave Shepherd, Mark Bosak
Dan Woolman, Bill Pink, Joe Walsh 2ND ROW Bob Reuth, Mike Koch
Steve Dietze Brad Tramp, Curt Nothwehr, Jeff Suhr, Mark Minthan Bob
Diers, Steve Bartunek, Pat Phelan 3RD ROW Kent Talmon, Wayne
Sharplee, Ron Lake, Chuck Syring, Greg Barkley, Steve Hansen, J

Bunderson, Chris Cox 4TH ROW Lil Walsh, Kelly Dobson, Cathy Carl
Vicki Verbeck, Jeanne Schmidt, Teri Retzlaff, Julie Springer, Connie
Johannson, Tim Lawry, Tom Westenburg 5TH ROW Cindy Lehman
Kathy Reuter, RoxAnn Snide, Donna Mowinkel, Judy Tjarks, Pat
Morearty, Terry Springer, Roy Peters, Larry Allbery



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY



1ST ROW Jim Sawyer, Kent Talmon, John Allbery, Bob Rauth, Kevin Dohson, Cheri Ogg, Patti Dohse 2ND ROW Connie Johannson, Pat Conant, Linda Smith, Amy Hansen, Lili Walsh, Dee Chilcoat, Lori Grieb, Teri Farris 3RD ROW Joanne Schmid, Patti Nath, Dan Gardner, Vicki

Beyer, Debbie White, Priscilla Fisher, Debra Mowinkel 4TH ROW Steve Hansen, Ralph Svenningson, Chris Cox, Dan Woolman, Clark Bierb, Tim Schnack, Steve Steinauer, David Smelter

SPANISH CLUB



1ST ROW Miss Hathaway, Ann McBrean, Priscilla Fisher, Dee Chilcoat, Lili Walsh, Lori Grieb, Mike Koch, Wayne Stottlemier, Suzi Glover 2ND

ROW Cathy Ostdiek, Cindy Smith, RoxAnne Wheeler, DeeAnn Hyatt, Kris White, Theresa Ostdiek, Dan Gardner, Gail Hurst, Brian Essen

MEDIA ASSISTANTS



SENIOR HIGH LIBRARIANS 1ST ROW Amy Gaudin, Kim Oden, Lary Fording 2ND ROW Ruth Sorenson, Susan White, Amy Hansen, Michelle Dwyer, Cathy Ocker 3RD ROW Cheryl Eger, Debbie Broy, Cheri Ogg, Cindy Tramp, Gail Horst, 4TH ROW Sandy McCormick, Sandy Ogg, Peggy Ellis, Jan Schmid, Gail Allbery 5TH ROW Eileen Lisko, Margaret Dudley, Pat Dohse, Cindy Barkley



HEAD LIBRARIANS TOP TO BOTTOM
Jillie Broy, Eileen Lisko, Theresa Ostdek
Judy Kraycek, Linda Smith



STATE OFFICERS Right to Left Judy Kraycek, Gail Allbery, Theresa Ostdek





Librarian Officers Gail Horst Sec. Pam Norman Pres. Pat Conant Tressa Jan Schmid Vice Pres.



JUNIOR HIGH LIBRARIANS Row 1 Rita Hoffman, Seth Grubmuller, Ann Krittenbrink, Maria Ellis, ROW 2 Jan Odens, Kerri Springer, Debbie Hurst, Lori Schram, ROW 3, Diane Cooper, Pete Ganderson ROW 4 JoAnn Armbrust, Kim Bartunek, Kris Buhr, Marsha Ostransky, ROW 5, Suzie Hintz, Kim Bremer, Janette Kopplin, Theresa Ostdiek ROW 6 Joni Wollenburg, Brenda Fleck, Lynn Woolman, Stephanie Helms ROW 7 Linda Biel, Judy Krajcek, JoAnn Horst



MEDIA ACTIVITIES



The 75-76 year was an active year for our school library. We received a tentative ok by the government for a \$4 000 dollar Title 3 grant to use for color video tape equipment. At the NAMA State Convention, at the Benson High School, Gretna received 3 out of 5 state offices. (Someone from Gretna has held an office for the past 11 years except 1.) Senior High librarians attended the Westroads Dinner Theater on March 29. On April 27-28 Linda Smith and Mrs. Haldeman took part in the Governor's Conference on Libraries. The annual senior's tea was held in the spring. We also worked in the shack and sold Gretna banners as money making projects.



SENIOR LIBRARIANS: 1ST ROW Sue Rishel, Sandy McCormick 2ND ROW Debbie Brey, Cheryl Ogg, Pat Dohse



SPIRIT CLUB



Miss Beal and Mr. Rhodes organized the Spirit Club this year to promote cooperation in the entire student body. The Spirit Club organized pep rallies and a special Bonfire pep rally for Homecoming. Spirit Club operated the shack during the football season and sponsored busses to away games and the State Wrestling Tournaments. A Valentine's Dance, featuring Time Machine, was sponsored by the Spirit Club after a basketball game. Our uniforms were T-shirts and green derby hats.

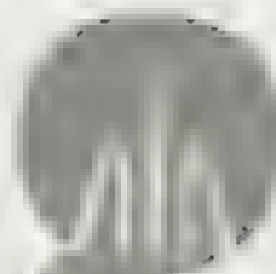
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Viki Verbeek



Gal. Horst



Tracy Bishop



Lisa Kohnen

Alex Minton

Jessie

Erin Miller

Amy

Julia

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Erin

75-76 CHEERLEADERS



Tori Retzlaff



Cathy Carr



Mary Harting



Christine Johnson

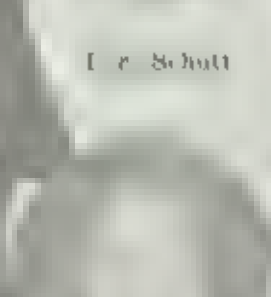
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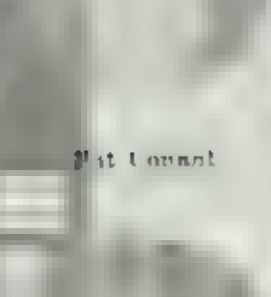
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Matt Connors



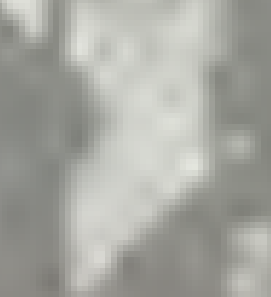
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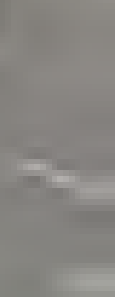
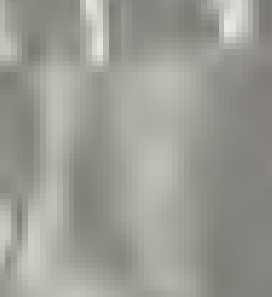
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JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS Kim Bartunek, Brenda Flock, Diane Flock, Jane Mielke
Laura Keyes Mary Conant



STUDENT COUNCIL



ROW 1 Mr. Rentsch, Mike Schend, Jerry VanWinkle, Brenda Finck, Jay o Finck, Inna Carl, Steve Moore ROW 2 Gregg Barkley, David

Doshie, Randy Sump, Judy Schram, Cheri Ogg, Bob Reuth, John Allbery, Judy Kraicek, Rachel Oakerson, Tim Lawry



Cheri Ogg Secretary John Allbery V Pres Kent Talmon Pres Gregg Barkley Treas



Awarding of 1st place trophy to juniors for float

This years Student Council sponsored all the 1975 Homecoming activities. Those attending the Student Council Convention in York were: Bob Reuth, Rachel Oakerson, Judy Kraicek, and Randy Sump.

Also during the year they raised funds for Muscular Dystrophy and sponsored a weight contest of all the teachers combined for 5 lbs. of jelly beans. The winner of the jelly beans was Eddie Karbowski.

VOCAL



Soprano I Tina Allbery, JoAnn Armbrust, Cathy Carl, Edwinna Duket, Priscilla Fisher, Stephanie Helma, Jane Mielke, Sandy McCormick, Donna Mowinkel, Cheri Ogg, Denise Schafer, Chris Schram, Judy Schram, Sue Sorenson, Joni Wollenberg Soprano II Cathy Barkley, Cynthia Benardy, Cindy Chard, Chris Fibich, Lorraine Hartman, Mary Hartman, Sandy Ogg, Bridget Phillips, Lori Schutt, Tammy Shirk, Cindy Smith, Karen Synder, Dorothy Walsh, Joan Weeth Alto Teri Barnes, Kim Bremer, Angie Carr, Dee Chilcoat, Mary Childers, Caryl Cooper, Kelly Dobson, Suzanne Glover Gwl Horst, Connie Johannson, Kris Karstens,

Cindy Lehman, JoAnn Mintken, Barb Sorenson, LeeAnn Thomas, Vicki Verbeek Lil Walsh, Debbie White, Tina Zimmerman Tenor, Brian Allbery Brian Essen, Dan Gardner, Michael Koch, Alan Meyer Curtis Nothwer, Dennis Richardson, Jim Schutt, Wayne Sharples, Rod Short, Gene Slattery, Greg Smith, Dan Steiner, Milt Steiner, Charles Treiber, Joseph Walsh Bass John Allbery, Gregg Dalheim, Steve Dietze, Kevin Dobson, David Essen, Bill Fink, Bill Hartman, Roger Lisko, Doug McCall, Bill McCormick, Dan Springer, Mike Stitt, Kent Taimon, Brad Tramp, Mike Zimmerman



Swing Choir 1ST ROW Brian Essen, Wayne Sharples 2ND ROW Sandy McCormick, Judy Schram, Debbie White, Priscilla Fisher, Cathy Carl, Donna Mowinkel, Cindy Lehman, Lil Walsh, Sue Sorenson 3RD ROW

Milt Steiner, David Essen, Kent Taimon, Joe Walsh, Bill Fink, John Allbery, Steve Dietze, Dan Gardner, Mike Koch



CHORUS ROW 1: I. Thomas, I. Munk, I. Munk, L. Walsh, D. Walsh, B. Sorenson ROW 2: C. Harkley, S. Ogg, S. Munk, C. Ogg, C. Lehmann, Carl, P. Fisher, D. Mowinkel, D. White, J. Schram



MUSICIANS ROW 1: W. L. W. Sharpley, B. Foss, D. Gardner, S. Dietze, J. Albery, J. Walsh, S. Sorenson, C. Harkley, C. Carl, I. Thomas, D. White, P. Fisher, L. Walsh



Quartet: Steve Dietze, Dan Gardner, Joe Walsh, John Albery



MEN: Mike Kich, John Albery, Steve Dietze, Joe Walsh



Accomp: D. Gardner, B. Sorenson, D. Chilcoat, S. Sorenson, D. Essen



Accomp: Mrs. Fischer

SEVENTH GRADE CHORUS



R Boyer, J Birkhofer, C Bishop, L Bishop, T Bohling, D Brey, D Briggs, K Bremer, B Burgett, T Carl, C Carr, P Childers, P Cockerill, M Conant, C Candon, T Colby, D Cull, L Cook, L Diers, D Dohse, T Dye, D Edwards, F Fiech, J Fleck, J Fleck, J Frahm, L Glover, R Goodnow, G Gorton, A Grubb, D Harris, T Haynes, A Hainen, P Hendricks, C Hert, R Hintz, D Hnta, K Hokens, D Iske, J Janousek, T Jensen, J Johansson, M Johnson, E Karbowski, L Keyes, J Kobza, K Kolbo, T Kopplin, D Kremlacek, R

Lathrop, B Leehy, D Markle, B Mason, S McBrann, K McCall, K McCormick, T Meyer, T Merrill, K Morris, K Morris, O Mosby, C Mosby, D Oakerson, J Peterson, D Piccolo, H Ruff, B Phillips, A Schram, A Sedlacek, H Simonin, T Shepherd, B Sherry, A Smith, J Smith, C Snell, M Snipes, D Stender, T Swearingen, D Taylor, C Tangeman, B Tjarks, O Tubbs, L Ulrich, M Vencil, J Van Winkle, J Verbeek, O Wagner, S Witt, D Wheeler, J Wohlenburg, B Weeks



Songs J Schram D Mowinke



Young Peoples Choir Greg Smith, Debbie White, John Allbery, Steve Dietze

VICA



The VICA Chapter was originated this year by the Building Constructors Class and the Auto Mechanics Class. VICA held two money raising projects which were a trap shoot and a turkey raffle. They also help -run the shack during the basketball and wrestling season. This money was used to send members to state VICA. VICA also participated in the Rock-a-thon for the March of Dimes.

1st ROW Tim Schnack, Ron Lake, 2nd ROW Roy Peters, Rich Schroeder, Tom Westenburg Bob Diers
3rd ROW Mr Novotny, Tom Schnack, Nick Carter, Clay Nath, Larry Allbery



VICA plans to sell this building



Turkey drawing takes place



1st ROW Rick Schroeder Pres., Tom Westenburg, V Pres. 2nd ROW Nick Carter Sec., Larry Allbery Reporter, Tim Schnack Treas

ANNUAL STAFF

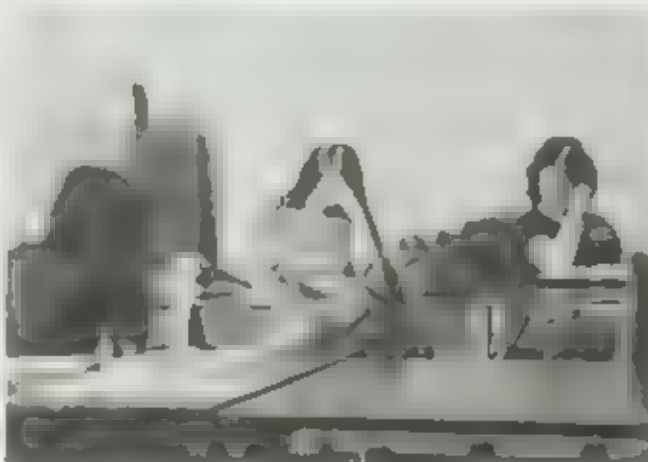


Jim Sawyer Mr. Pease Dave Rasmussen Joan Weeth Pam Norman Sue Rishel Pat Doebe Cathy Carl Teri Farris Sandy McCormick, ABSENT Kathy Hurst, Deb Brey, Reynie Rife, Cheryl Ogg



"Our photographers doing their usual NOTHING"

Senior Section. Sandy McCormick, Sue Rishel
Happenings: Teri Farris, Bob Sawyer, Dave
Rasmussen Clubs. Pat Doebe, Joan Weeth Sports
Cathy Carl, Pam Norman. Underclassmen: Deb
Brey, Kathy Hurst, Reynie Rife. Administration
Teri Farris Ada. Cheryl Ogg



Hard workers eh

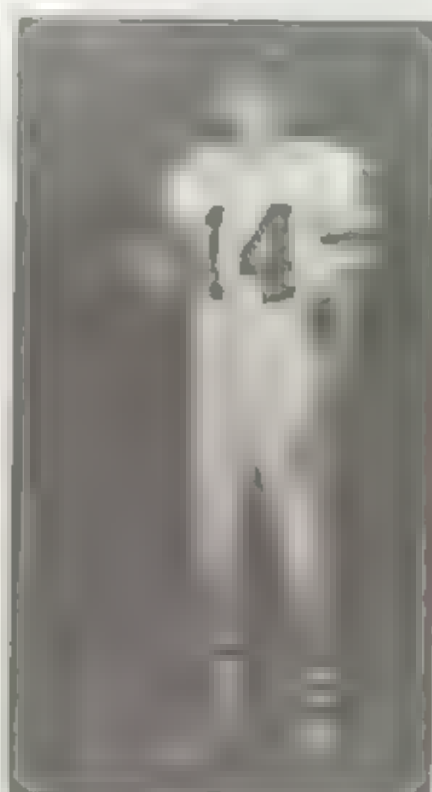


"I must have been crazy!"



Athletics

Dave Shepherd (OT)
 Brad Tramp (G DE)
 Steve Dietze (DE OT)
 Joe Krajcek (FB LB)
 Curt Nothwehr (TE HB)
 Mark Mintken (QB DHB)
 Jeff Suhr (HB, DHB)
 Larry Johnson (OT, DT)
 Kent Talmon (Q LB)
 Wayne Sharples (OHB DHB)
 Bill Diers (DE OE)



DRAGON RECORD 6-2-1

The 75-76 Dragon football team got off to a good start by winning their first game and going on with a 6-2-1 record. The first practices the team were hard but as the season progressed that effort paid off in the long run. Head coach Duane Cox and assistants Tom Leehy, Jim Novotny, Tim Hoffman, and Don Ozanne helped make it possible through their efforts. There were no serious injuries this year with the Dragon team but the usual minor injuries occurred.



DRAGON SCOREBOARD

Gretna	24	Raymond	
		Central	0
Gretna	0	Waverly	6
Gretna	16	Noris	0
Gretna	48	Ashland	12
Gretna	22	Blair	12
Gretna	8	Arlington	8
Gretna	6	Platteview	14
Gretna	40	Wahoo	12
Gretna	32	Elkhorn	6



ROW ONE: Mark Krajcek, Dan Turner. ROW TWO: David Hudson, Dan Woolman, Lee Kober, Dale Smith, Butch Weber, Steve Condon, Ryan Leehy, Bernard Rueschoff, Rick Nothwehr, Mark Carl. ROW THREE: Bob Ruth, Steve Hansen, Gregg Barkley, Tom Westenberg, Larry Albary, J. Bunderson, Mark Pilmer, Steve Bartunek, Pat Phelan. ROW

FOUR: Mark Minton, Jeff Sahr, Joe Krajcek, Brad Tramp, Tim Lawry, Chris Cox, Dan Kennel, Clayton Nath, Terry Springer. ROW FIVE: Wayne Sharples, Mark Lewis, Larry Johnson, Dave Rueschoff, Steve Dietze, Dave Shepherd, Curtis Nothwehr, Kent Talmon, Bob Diers.

JR. HIGH FOOTBALL



ROW ONE Danny Ostadick, Carol Bishop, Jeff Wollenburg, Pat Hendricks, John Johnson, Alan Grubb, Roger Boyer, Derrick Harris, David Kremmeyer, Don Oskerson. ROW TWO Pat Cockermil, Kevin Morris, Marty Koester, Eddie Karbowski, Brendan Leehy, Dan Cull, Mark Johnson, Bob Sherry, David Briggs, Todd Shepherd, Mark Bishop

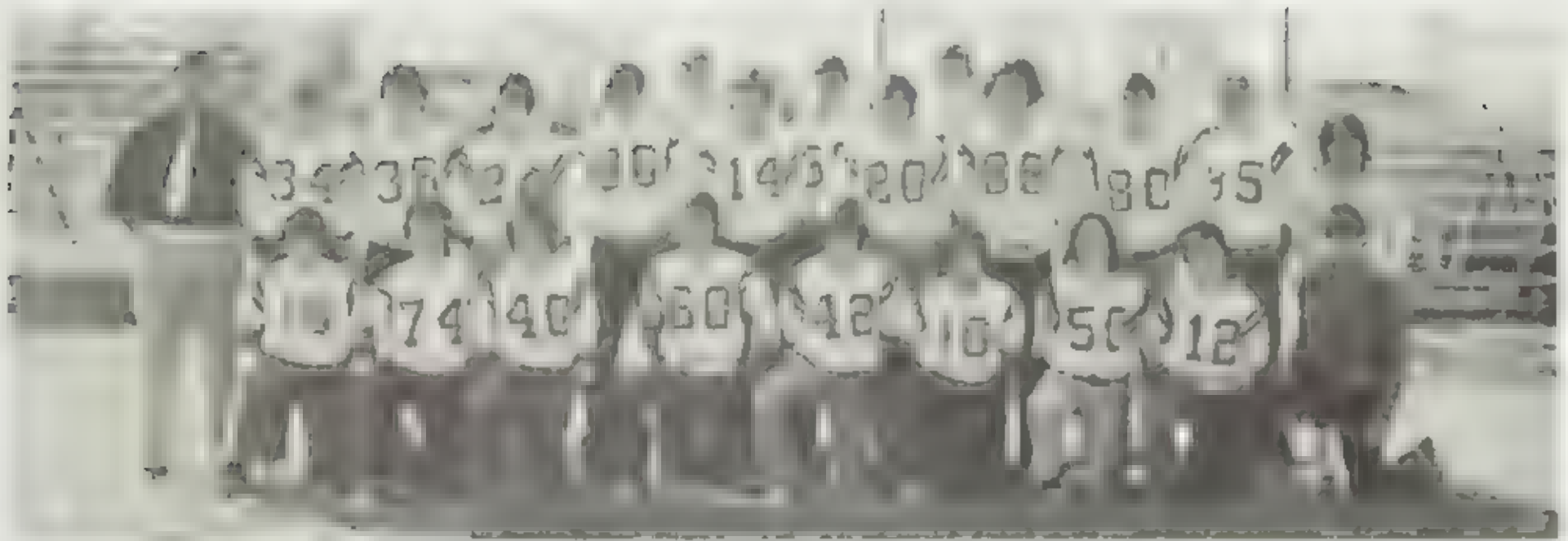
Brian Poweran. ROW THREE Gregg Wagner, Don Kennel, Jerry VanWinkle, Rich Beck, Steve Pionkol, David Kike, Tom H. Lash, Scott Ostadick, Kevin Innman, Dean Grimm, Stanley Sharples, John Grubb, muller, John Hozaphel



ROW ONE Steve Moore, Craig Dobson, David Dietze, Mark Spurgeon, Mike Schmidt, Mike Mies, Mike Bishop, Jack Bunderson, John Krupick, Greg Reigenborn, Mike Jones. ROW TWO Tom Ostdiek, Richard Cummings, Gary Frohner, Ed Kennel, Mark Johnson, Don Hints, Brian

Sharples, Don Kres. ROW THREE Alan Carl, Kent Hoskins, Steve White, Eric Lehman, Steve Morris, Greg Lavigne, Tom Pritchard, Carro, Albery, Larry Chard, Mr. Hoffman

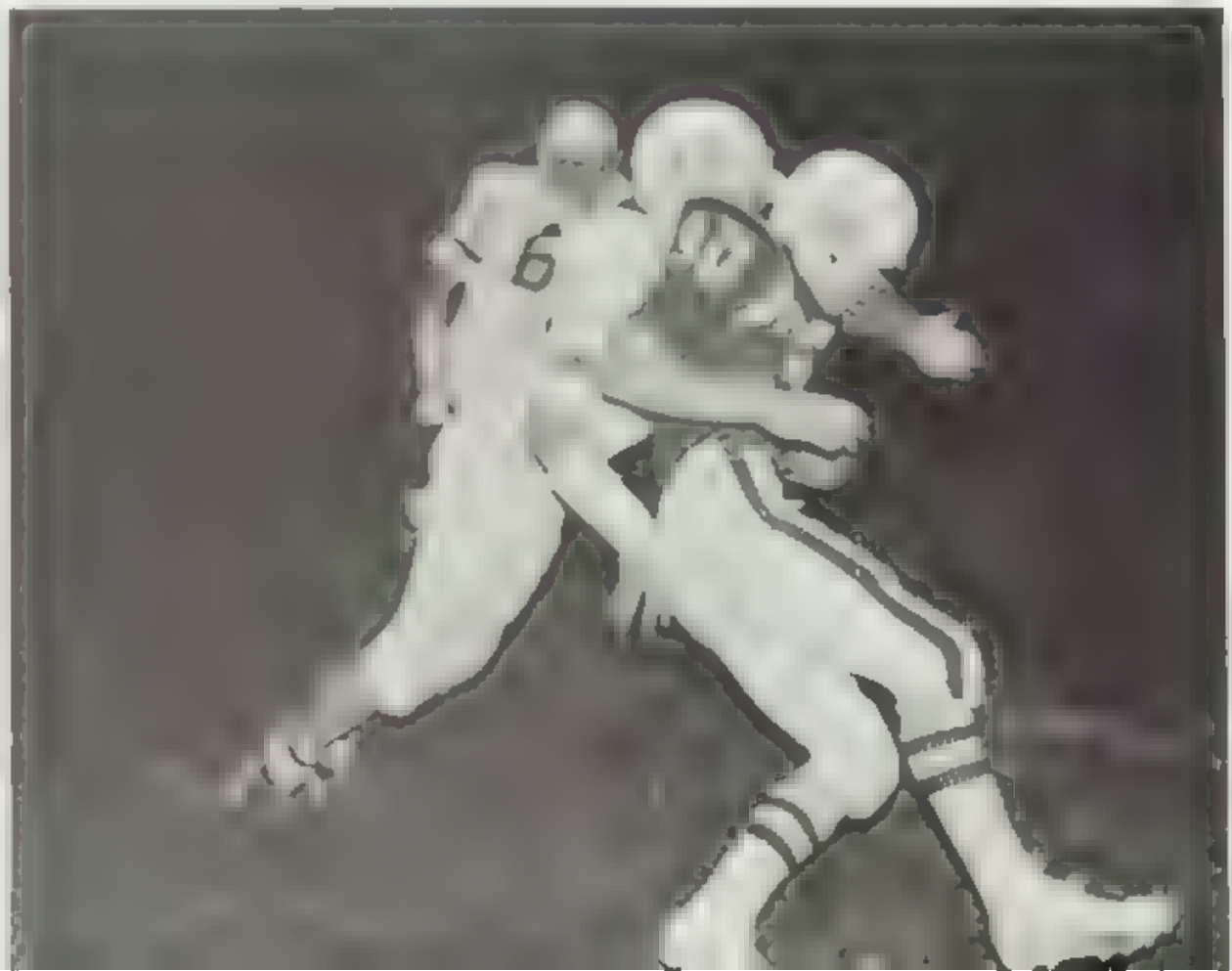
TOUCHDOWN!



ROW ONE Mark Wals, Brad Lockhart, Wayne Joss, Scott Condon, Jess Bagnerson, Jake, Bob Arthaloney, Dan Steiner, ROW TWO Mr. Ozanne, Randy Samp, Dan Springer, Jerry Snell, Jerry Allbery, Greg

Dabson, Rick Jones, Doug McCain, Dale Smith, Chip Tolliver, ROW THREE Mike Zimmerman, Marty Ostransky, David Dohse

The 75-76 jr. high football teams of this year worked hard all season. The experience gained by these teams will help create better teams for Gretna in the future years. The coaches as well as the players deserve a big thanks for their time and effort made throughout this year.



RESERVE VOLLEYBALL

ROW ONE: Dorothy Walsh, Edwinna Dukat, Peggy Ellis, JoAnn Armburst, Linda Biel, Stephanie Helms, Theresa Osdieck, ROW TWO: Cindy Mathers, Cindy Tramp, Judy Krajcek, Lynne Kovar, Coach Hathaway, Dawn Glassoff, Kim Krajcek, Cathy Mathers, Cindy Smith



GOLF



GIRLS VOLLEYBALL



GRETNA VARSITY VOLLEYBALL SCORES

GRETNA	OPPONENTS
lost	Waverly
won	Plattsmouth
won	Bennington
lost	Blair
lost	Raymond Central
won	Elkhorn
lost	Platteview
won	Arlington
NCC TOURNEY	
won	Arlington
won	Wahoo
lost	Waverly
DISTRICT	
won	Plattsmouth
won	Platteview
lost	Waverly



SENIORS: Terri Retzlaff, Vicki Verbeek, Jeanne Schmid



LEFT: Kerr, James, Vicki Verbeek, Terri Retzlaff, Jan Schmid, Jeanne Schmid, Connie Johannsen, Chris Winter (coach), Jane Tjarks



VARSITY SCOREBOARD

GRETN	47	O. PAUL VI	68
GRETN	66	MT MICHAEL	32
GRETN	57	ELKHORN	67

BLAIR TOURNEY

GRETN	41	ARLINGTON	50
GRETN	57	BLAIR	49
GRETN	53	WAVERLY	48
GRETN	60	WAHOO	68
GRETN	41	ASHLAND	51
GRETN	49	O. CATHEDRAL	61
GRETN	68	PLATTEVIEW	60

NCC TOURNEY

GRETN	48	PLATTEVIEW	50
GRETN	53	BLAIR	64
GRETN	65	PLATTSMOUTH	
GRETN	49	R. CENTRAL	48
GRETN	63	TEKAMAH	49
GRETN	49	ARLINGTON	51

DISTRICTS

GRETN	64	O. PAUL VI	60
GRETN	49	RYAN	57

RESERVES SCOREBOARD

GRETN	61	O PAUL IV	50
GRETN	43	MT. MICHAEL	29
GRETN	48	ELKHORN	24
GRETN	53	WAVERLY	33
GRETN	65	WAHOO	51
GRETN	52	ASHLAND	40
GRETN	62	O. CATHEDRAL	45
GRETN	58	PLATTEVIEW	38
GRETN	66	BLAIR	51
GRETN	71	PLATTSMOUTH	40
GRETN	60	R. CENTRAL	37
GRETN	59	TEKAMAH	46
GRETN	56	ARLINGTON	52



THE VARSITY IN ACTION



RESERVES DURING THEIR UNDEFEATED SEASON



THE GIRLS TRYING HARD



BOTTOM ROW left to right Kevin Jarosz Rayn Leehy Bob
 Ruck Mark Filmer Mark Masticon Mike Koch Mark Car Ruck
 Nothwehr STANDING Mr Leehy Brad Framp Kurt Frahm Ron

Kritenbrink Dave Shepherd Curt Nothwehr John Allbery Jon Walsh,
 Mr Hoffman



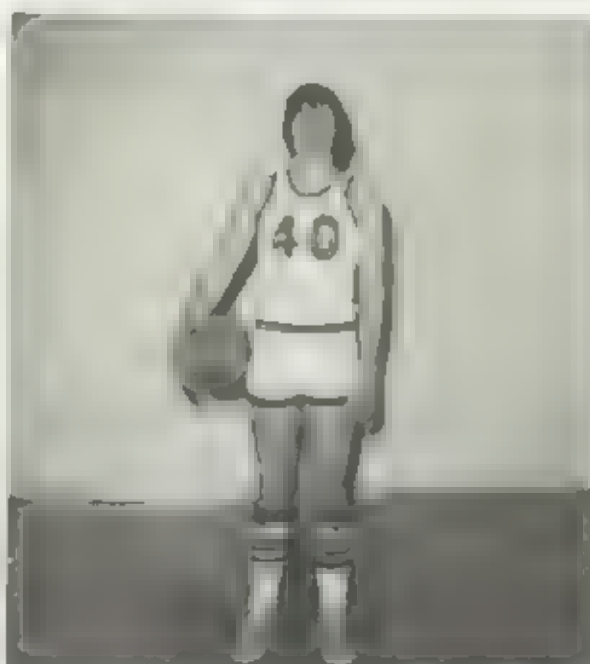
BOTTOM ROW left to right Dan Springer Kevin Jarosz Rick
 Nothwehr Mark Filmer Rayn Leehy Mark Car Gregg Dahlheim

STANDING Mr Hoffman Tom Brennan Jay Bunderson David
 Smetter Dan Schmidt Ron Kritenbrink Kurt Frahm

SEVEN SENIORS LEAVE TEAM



Brad Trump



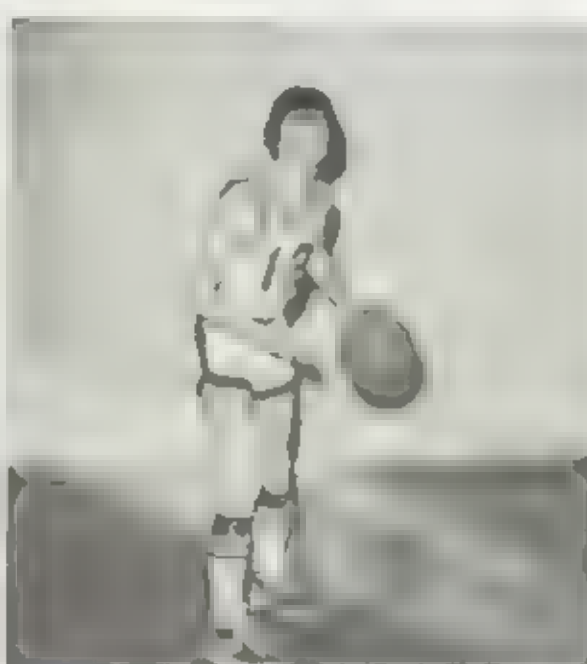
Dave Shepherd



J. E. Albany



Mark Mintken



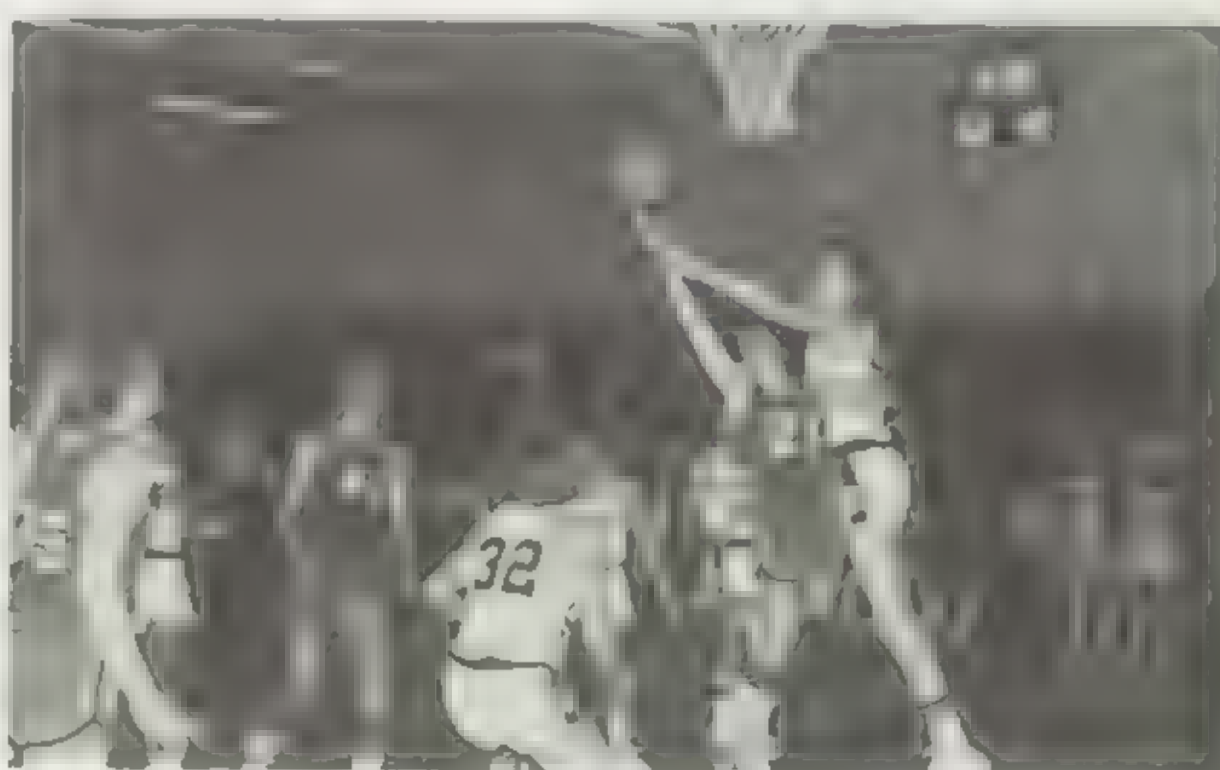
Mike Koch



J. C. Warr



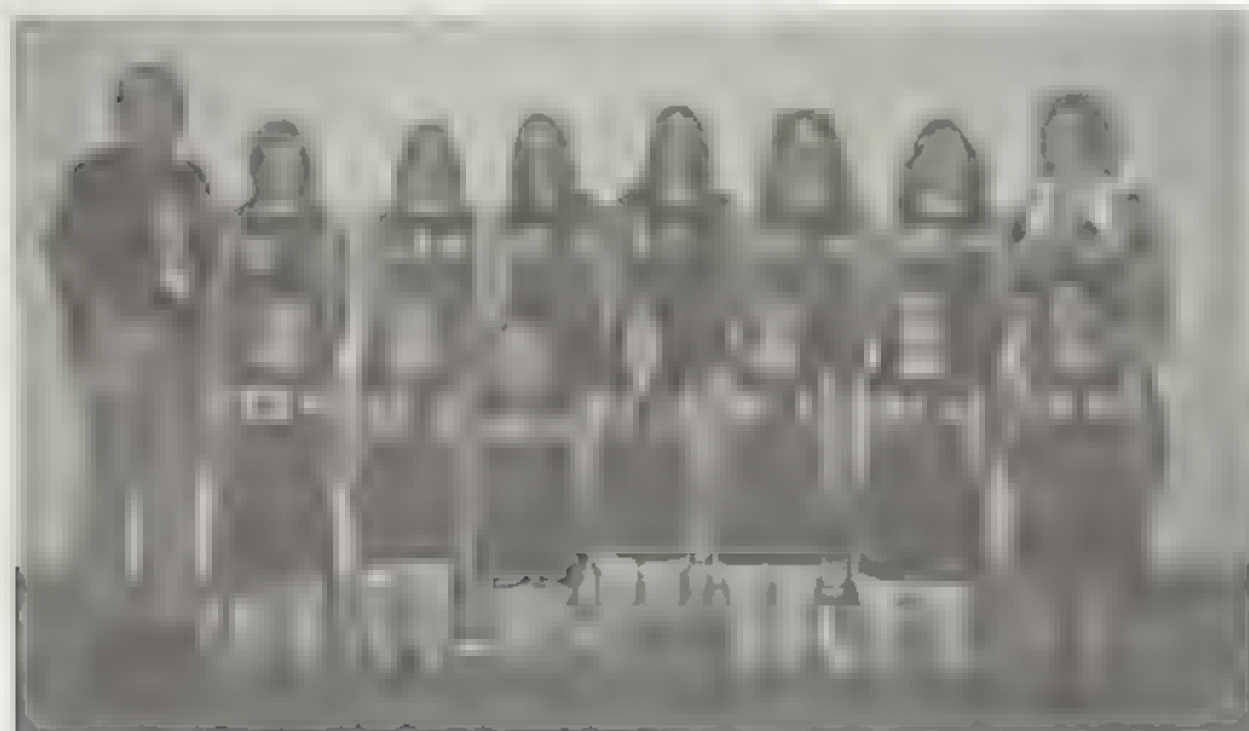
Curt Nothwehr



GIRLS BASKETBALL



ROW ONE: Cindy Lehman, Pat Dobson, Kathy Reuter, Lil Walsh, Ann McBrean, Lynne Kewer. ROW TWO: Cathi Rhodes, Jonna Mowinkel, Judy Tjarks, Gail Ambury, Dawn Grasshoff, Cathy Carr, Cathy Mather.



ROW ONE: Kris Karstens, Linda Biel, Peggy Ellis, Suzie Hintz, Joni Wollenburg, Dorothy Walsh, Brenda Flock. ROW TWO: Roxane Foster, Cindy Tramp, Mary Leahy, Cindy Smith, Kim Krajcek, Nancy Weeks, Cathy Mather.

GIRLS VARSITY SCORES

GRETN 14	ARLINGTON	36
GRETN 24	ELKHORN	52
GRETN 40	R. CENTRAL	24
GRETN 20	TEKAMAH	40
GRETN 19	PLATTEVIEW	49
GRETN 22	WAHOO	31

(NCC TOURNEY)

GRETN 41	ARLINGTON	29
GRETN 44	ELKHORN	39
GRETN 39	CENTENNIAL	42
GRETN 22	BLAIR	56
GRETN 36	PLATTSMOUTH	27
GRETN 23	WAVERLY	26

(MIDLANDS TOURNEY)

GRETN 27	MERCY	45
GRETN 40	DUCHESNE	31
GRETN 30	ELKHORN	41

GIRLS RESERVE SCORES

GRETN 12	ARLINGTON	14
GRETN 22	ELKHORN	32
GRETN 21	RAYMOND	
	CENTRAL	3
GRETN 23	TEKAMAH	15
GRETN 19	PLATTEVIEW	16
GRETN 23	WAHOO	10
GRETN 21	BLAIR	14
GRETN 20	PLATTSMOUTH	2



JR. HIGH BASKETBALL

7th GRADE SCORES

GRETN A26	PLATTEVIEW	22
GRETN A19	VALLEY	11
GRETN A33	ARLINGTON	35
GRETN A7	ELKHORN	15
GRETN A19	WAVERLY	15

8th GRADE SCORES

GRETN A35	PLATTEVIEW	32
GRETN A29	VALLEY	33
GRETN A29	ARLINGTON	17
GRETN A13	ELKHORN	39
GRETN A26	WAVERLY	25

9th GRADE SCORES

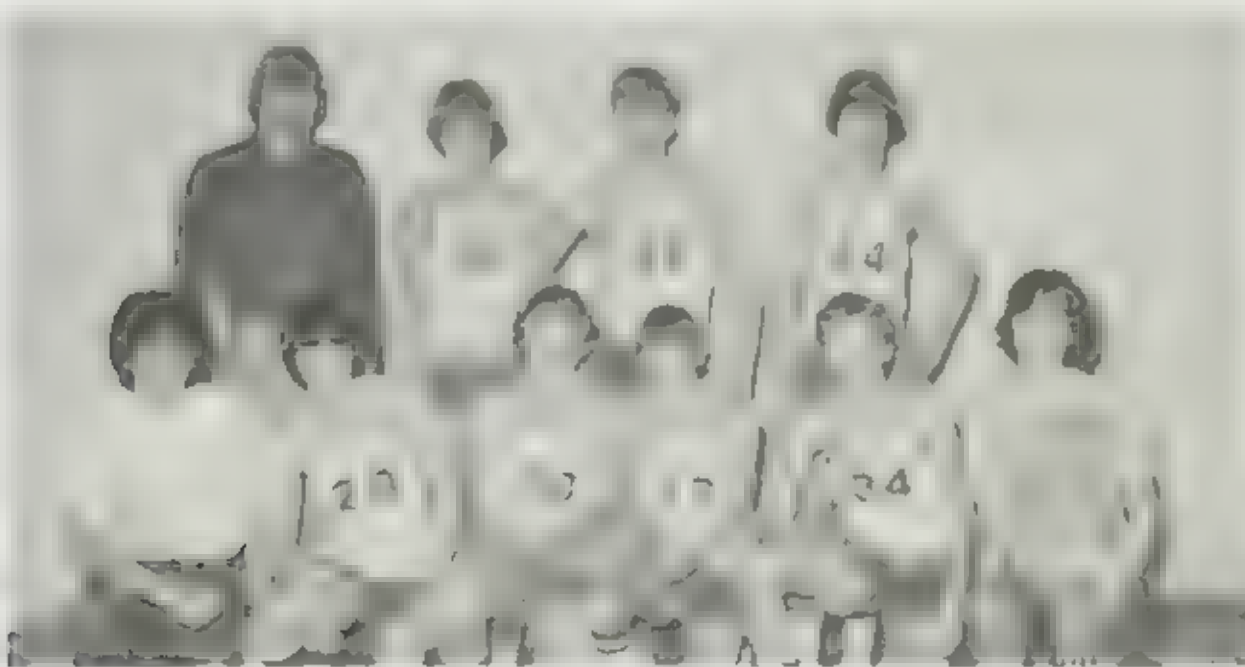
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GRETN A59	VALLEY	50
GRETN A27	ARLINGTON	38
GRETN A33	ELKHORN	32
NCC TOURNEY		
GRETN A28	PLATTEVIEW	30
GRETN A32	WAHOONEUMANN	33
GRETN A26	WAVERLY	42
GRETN A27	BLAIR	29
GRETN A21	ASHLAND	15
NCC TOURNEY		
GRETN A42	ARLINGTON	43



ROW ONE, Bob Sherry, Dan Hintz, Darick Harris, Roger Beyer, Henry Ruff, Jerry VanWinkle, ROW TWO Don Oakerson, Tom Koppila, Dan Cull, Pat Cockerill, Bill Weeks, Brendan Leehy, Robbie Goodnow, Eddie Kartowski, ROW THREE; Coach Novotny, John Johannsen, Carol Bishop, Greg Wagner, Pat Hendricks, Brian Burgott, Alan Grubb, Todd Bohling, Todd Shepherd



ROW ONE Pete Gunderson, Tom Osdieck, Mike Schmid, Mike Miles, Don Hintz, Scott Norman, Ed die Kennel, Scott Schmidt, Richard Cummings, ROW TWO, Coach Marick, Mike Bishop, Steve Moore, Larry Koke, Mark Spurgeon, Tom Prichard, Eric Lehman, Steve White, David Dietze



ROW ONE, Dan Springer, Gene Stattery, Brian Allbery, Dave Spurgeon, Jim Schutt, Greg Dalheim, ROW TWO, Coach Hoffman, Jeff Bockman, Mike Zimmerman, Roger Lisko.

“WRESTLERS TRY HARDER”



Congratulations to the wrestlers for their very impressive year. They finished the year with a 7-2-1 record. This year has been the best year for the Gretna wrestlers. In addition to their other tournament trophies, they finished first place at the Districts in Boys Town. At the district, seven wrestlers qualified for state. "Wrestlers do better because they try harder"

ROW ONE, Dan Rasmussen, Kent McClellan, Larry Beaman, Wayne Sharples, Damon Smith, Dale Smith ROW TWO, Coach Kearns, Kent Talmon, Jeff Suhr, Tom Westenburg, Tim Lawry, Joe Kragelski, Roy Peters



SEVEN GO TO STATE



Kent McClellan, Larry Beaman, Dale Smith, ROW TWO, Kent Talmon, Jeff Suhr, Tom Westenberg, Roy Peters (State Qualifiers)



Reserve Team, ROW ONE, Milt Steiner, Dave Rasmussen, Butch Weber, ROW TWO, Dan Kennel, David Grieb, Coach Osanne



Joe Krajcek



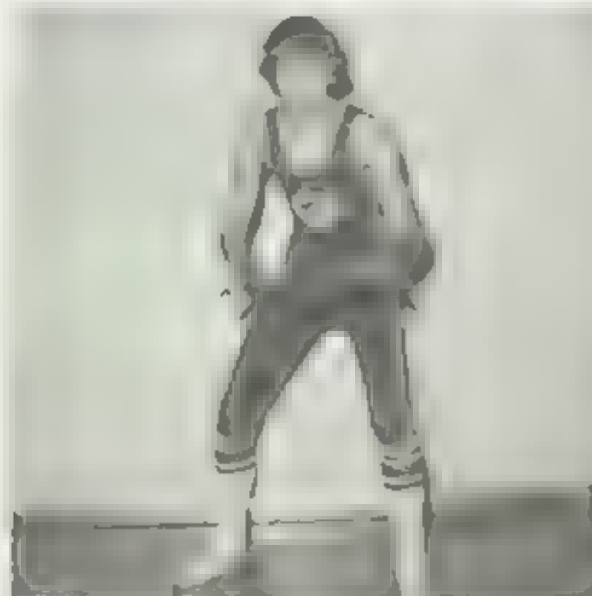
Jeff Suhr



Wayne Shupler



Kent Talmon



Kent McClellan



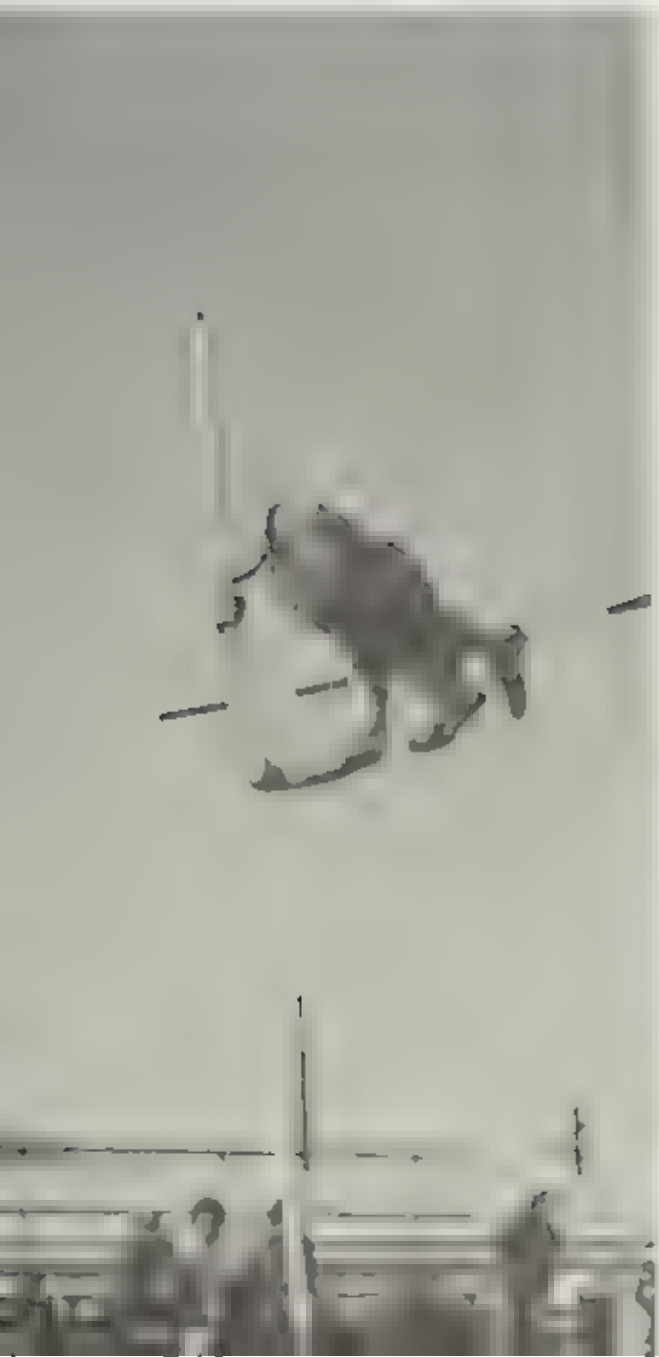
Dave Rasmussen

BOYS TRACK



ROW ONE Wayne Sharpless, Mark W. De, Scott Condon, Scott Crawford, Mike Zimmerman, Rick Jones. ROW TWO Dave M. Noel, Peter N. Nothwehr, Peter Marshall, Butler Webber, Tom Brennan, Mark Carl Ryn, Leehy, Jim Tapp, Steve Condon, Rick Nothwehr, Dave Rasmussen. ROW

THREE Coach Leehy, Coach Ozanne, Tim Lawry, Jon Walsh, Pat Phelan, Steve Hartman, J. Bantock, Steve Helzer, Tim Westenberg, Chris Cox, Joe Krappek, Bob Fink, Carl Mack.



DRAGON TRACK TEAM SENDS 8 TO STATE

The Gretna track team of 1976 had 8 members leave their team this year. There were 8 state qualifiers: Curtis Nothwehr, Rich Nothwehr, Joe Walsh, and Mark Carl who took 3 place in the two mile relay with the time of 8.10.8. Dave McNeal 12'5" and Wayne Sharples 12'0" in the pole vault, Steve Bartunek won the high jump with a jump of 6'0" and J. Bunderson placed 3rd in the discus at 126'11". Four out of these eight guys were Seniors, but the Dragons will still have four of them back next year



Dave Rasmussen, Joe Walsh, Dave McNeal, Wayne Sharples, Bill Pink, Joe Krajlock, Curtis Nothwehr, Steve Dietz



ROW ONE Greg Wagner Robbie Goodnow Henry Ruff Roger Beyer Brendan Leehy Bob Sherry ROW TWO Eddie Karbowak Jerry Van Winkle Don Oakerson, Mike Miles, Scott Schmidt, Jeff Wollenburg, ROW THREE, Coach

Mark Spurgeon Craig Dobson Tom Pritchard Steve Sorenson David Dietze Tim Meyer

GIRLS TRACK



GIRLS VARSITY TEAM FRONT ROW Sandy Ciesek, Rachel Oaker-son, Becky Oaker-son, Connie Johannsen, Sarah Vandil, SECOND ROW Dorothy Walsh, Bridget Phillips, Janette Koplin, Lynette Hopkins, Joni

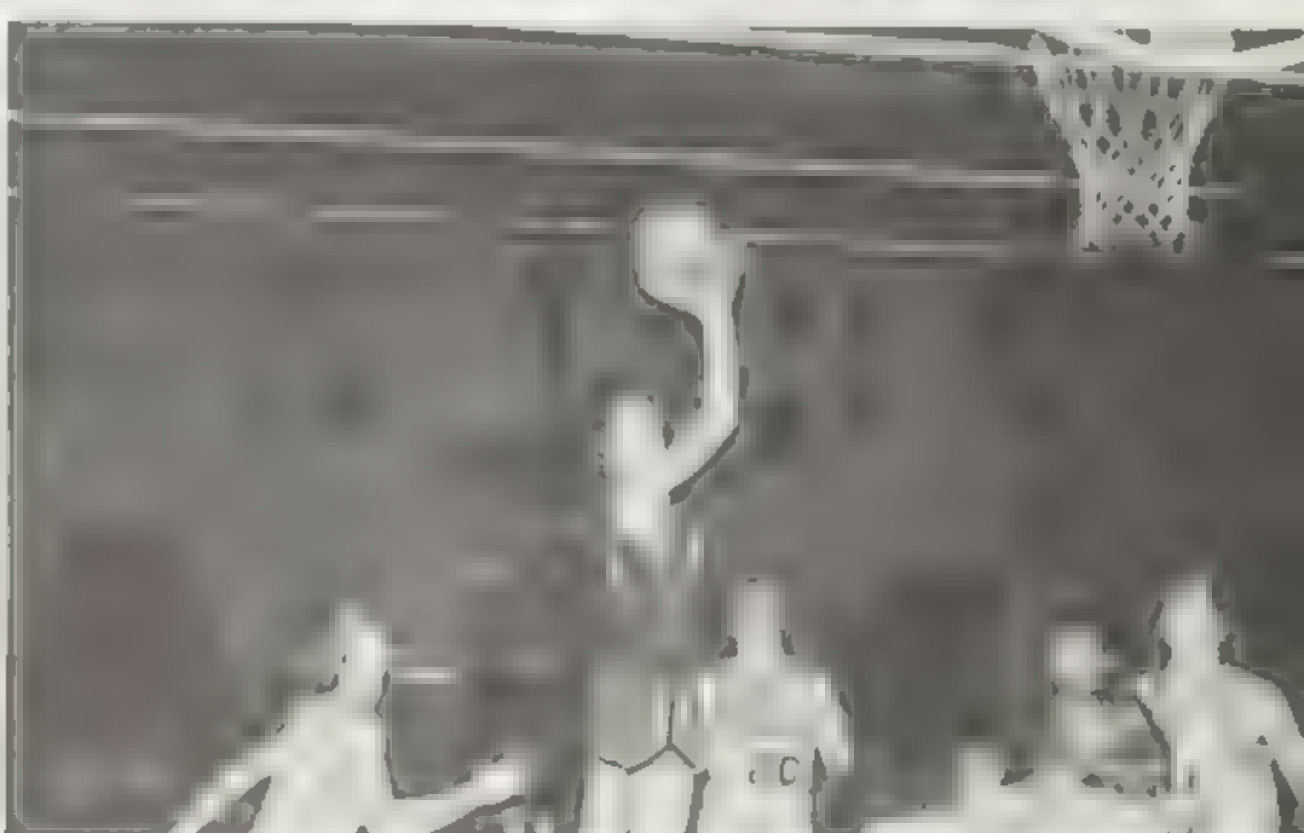
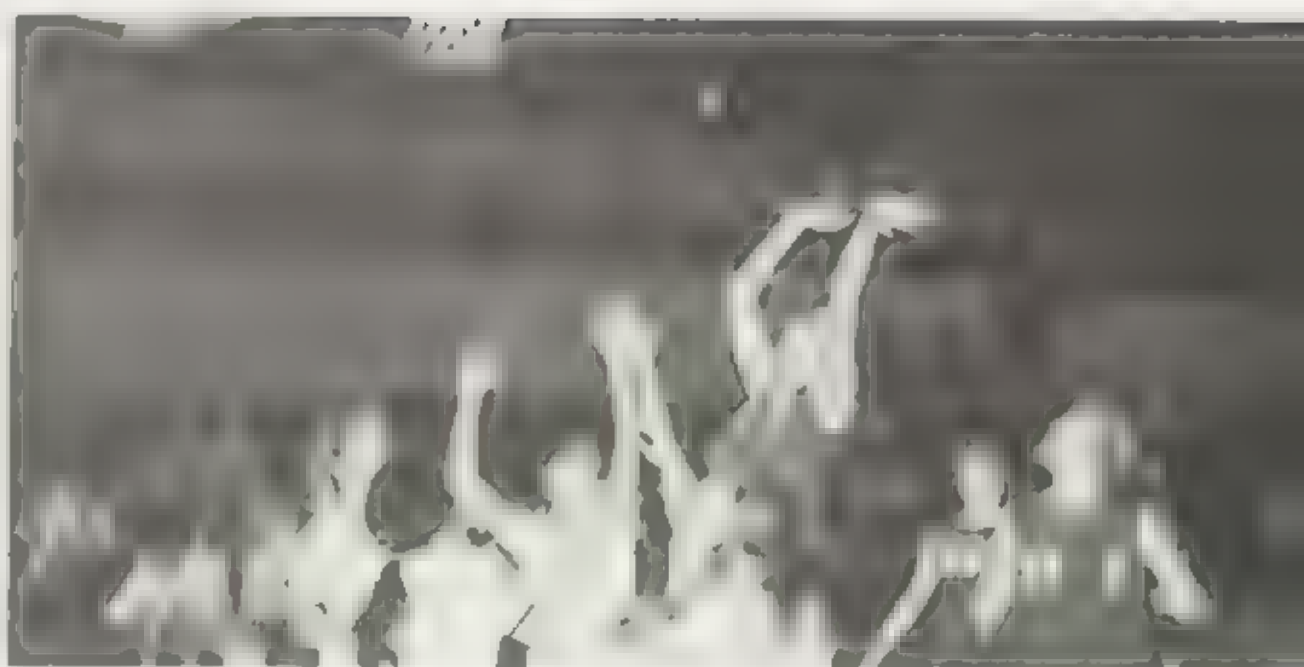
Wollenburg BACK ROW Coach Winters, Kim Krajcek, Mary Leehy, Jan Schmid, Vicki Beyer, Gail Allbery, Coach Hathaway



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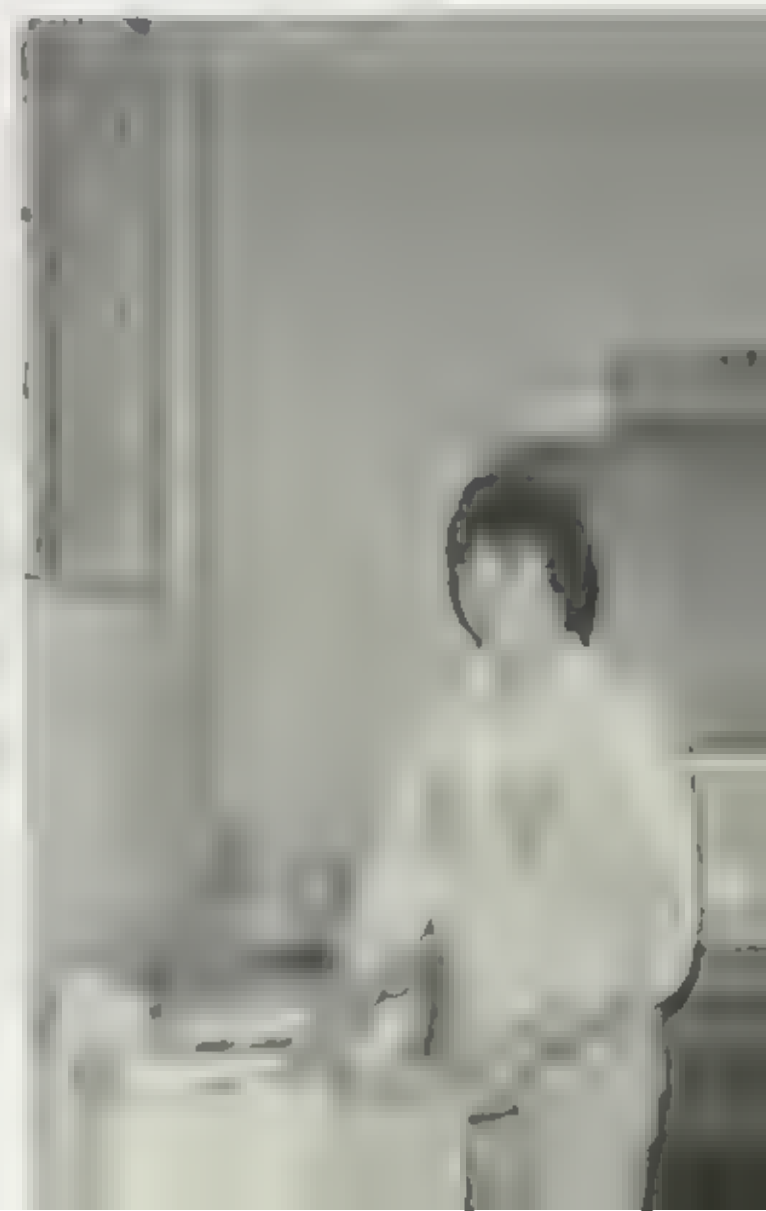


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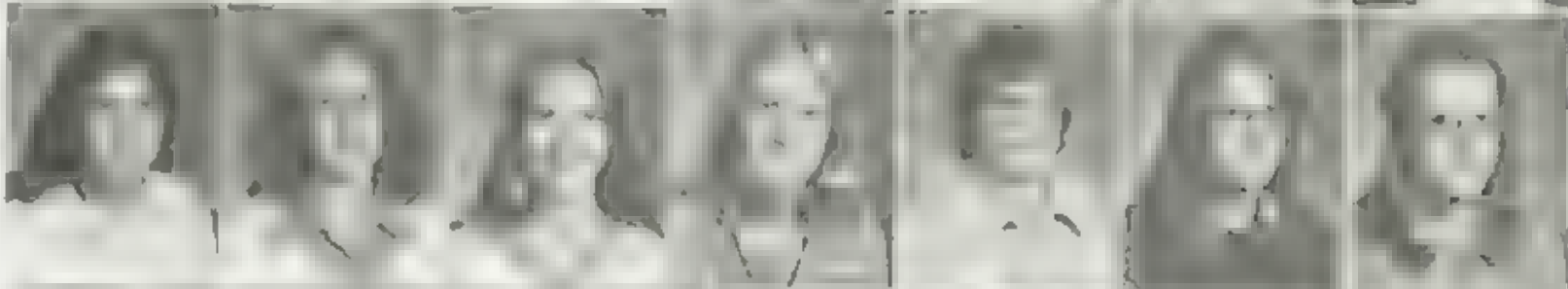


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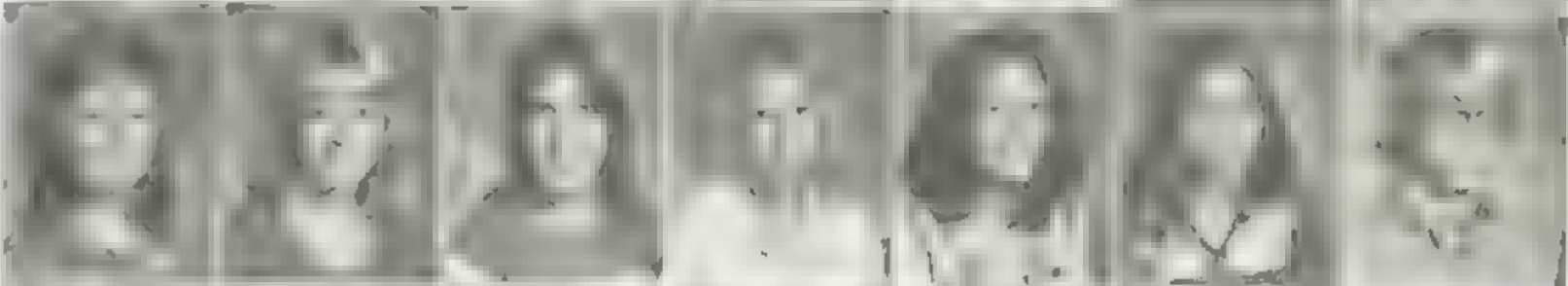
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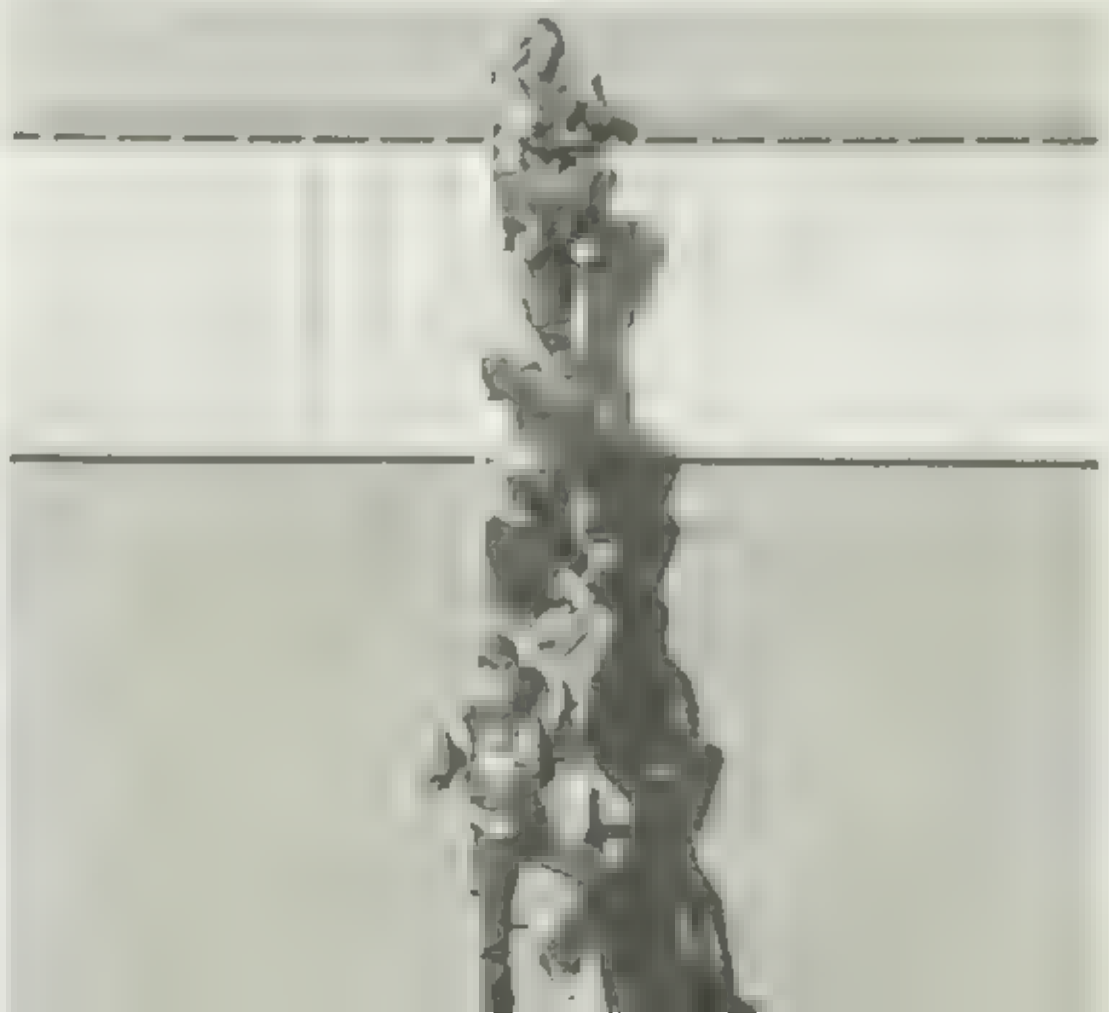
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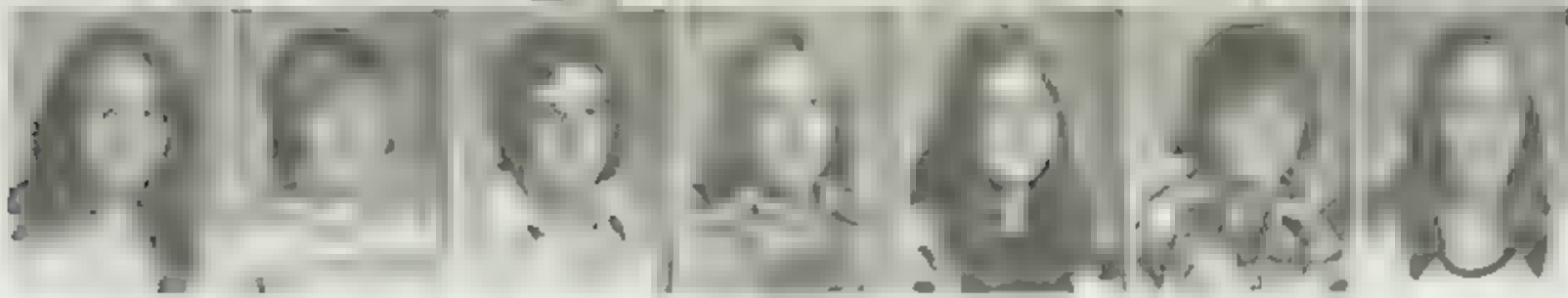


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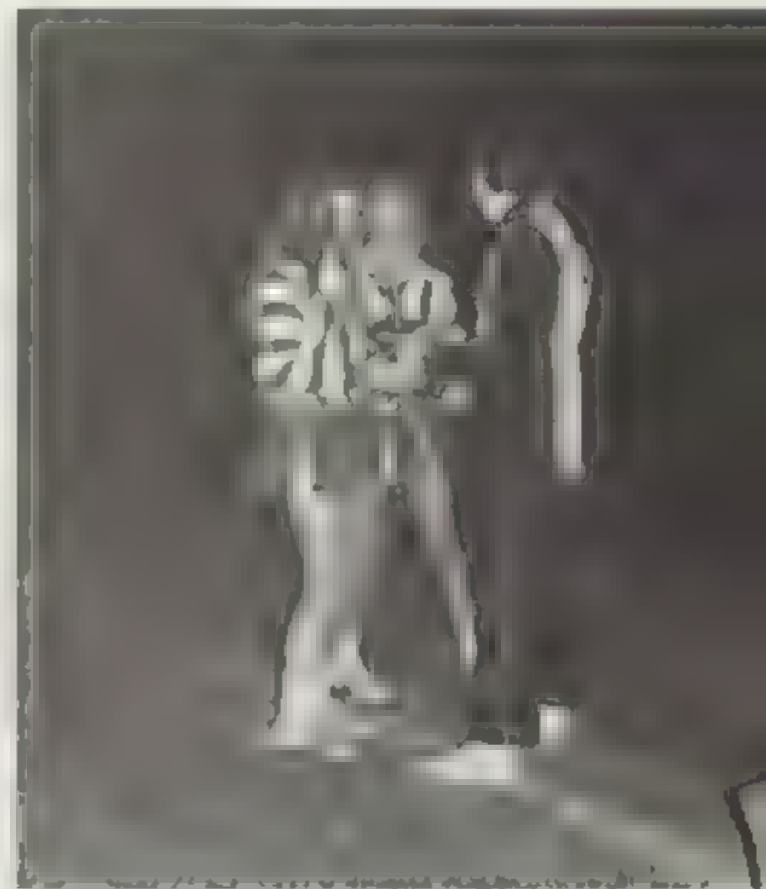




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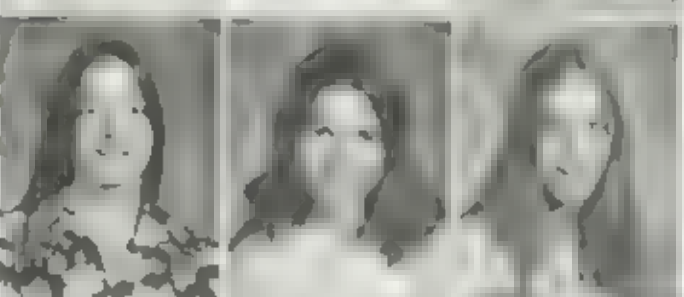
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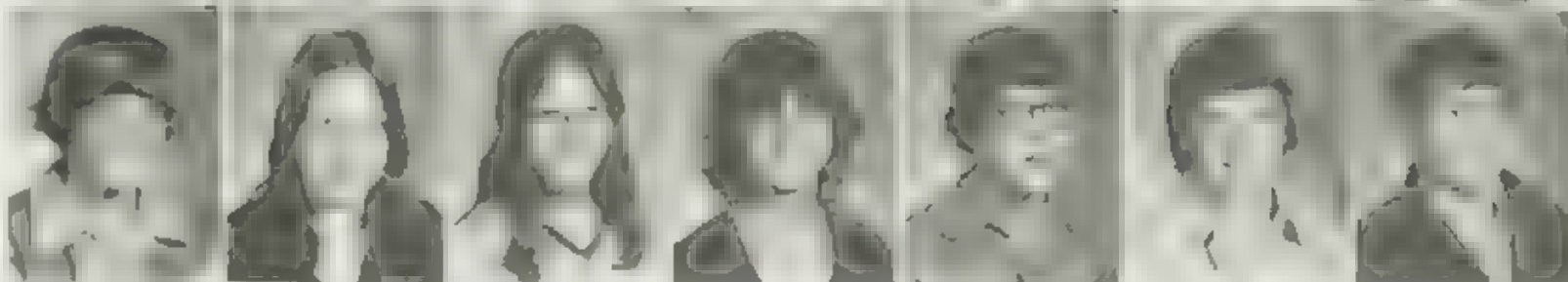


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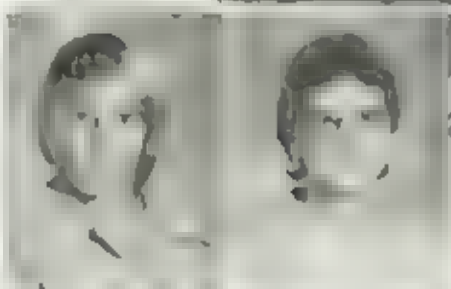
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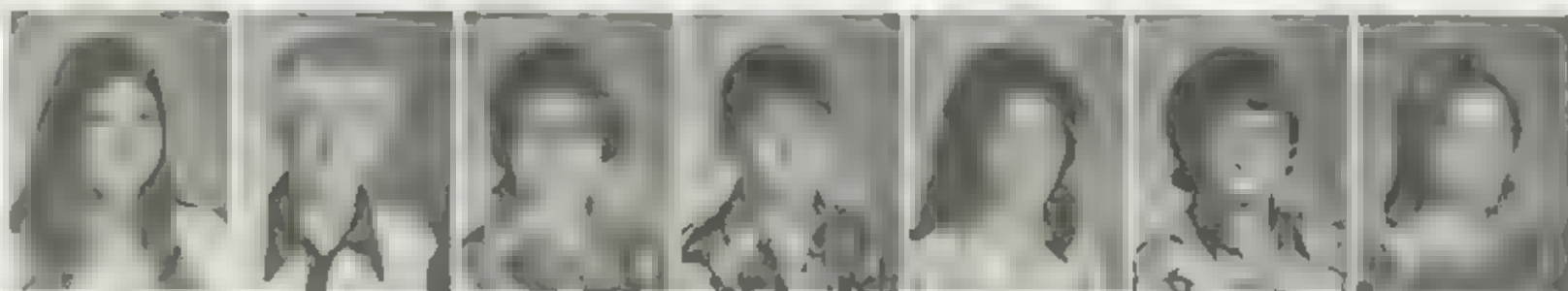
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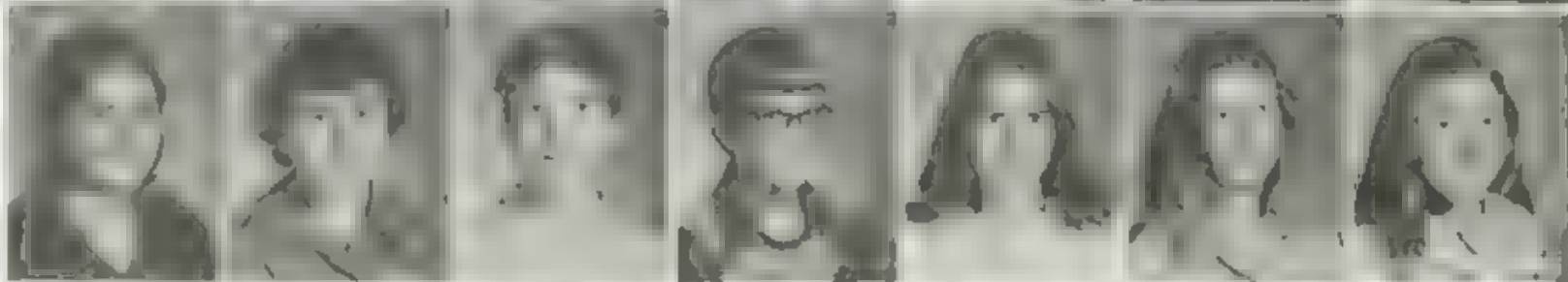
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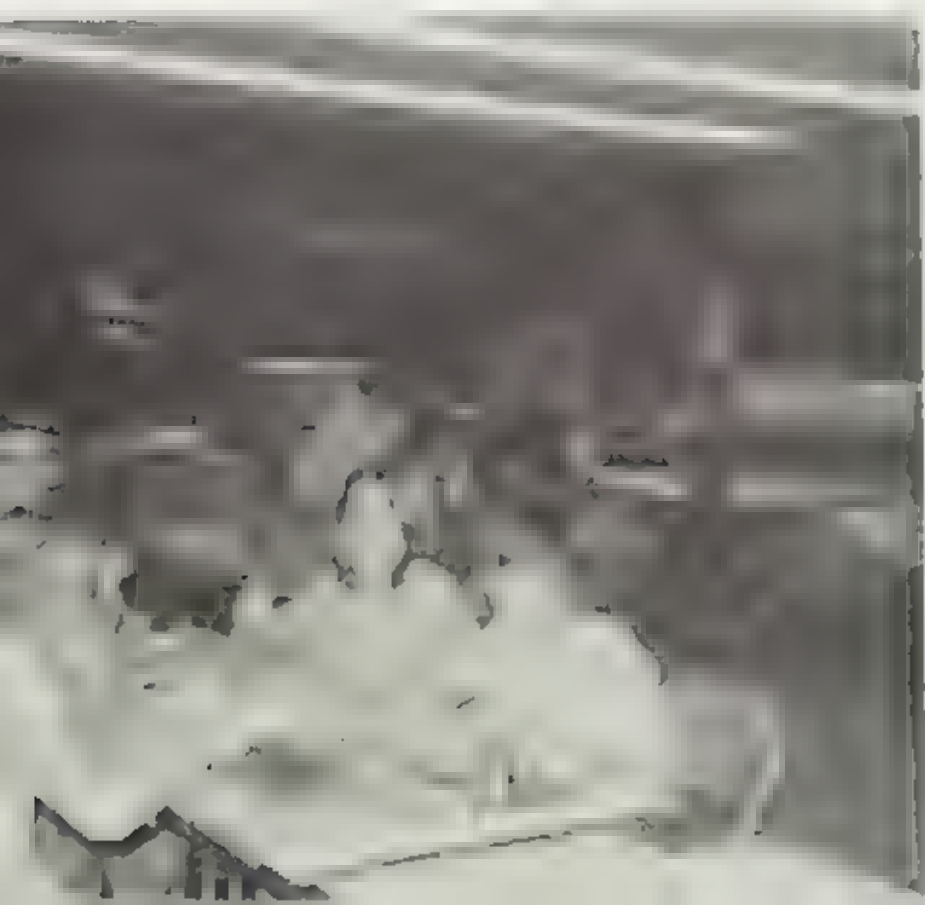
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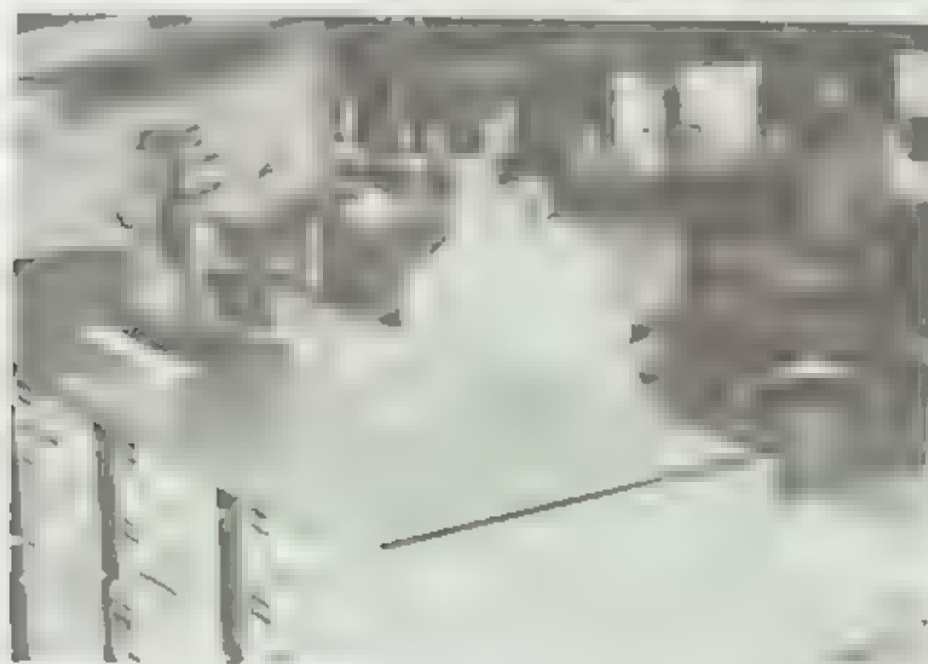
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TOP LEFT Jan Tarks Teacher Assistant
 TOP CENTER Tom Rundquist Counselor and
 Math TOP RIGHT Marlene Snell, Counselor's
 secretary; MIDDLE LEFT Glen Millard
 Psychologist. MIDDLE CENTER, Eli Leggino,
 special studies; MIDDLE RIGHT: Diane
 Christensen, Reading specialist

HISTORY



TOP LEFT: Tony Kravitz History TOP
RIGHT: John Brown History MIDDLE
LEFT: Brian Costello and John White
and John Kravitz History MIDDLE RIGHT
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BOTTOM RIGHT: Activities Director
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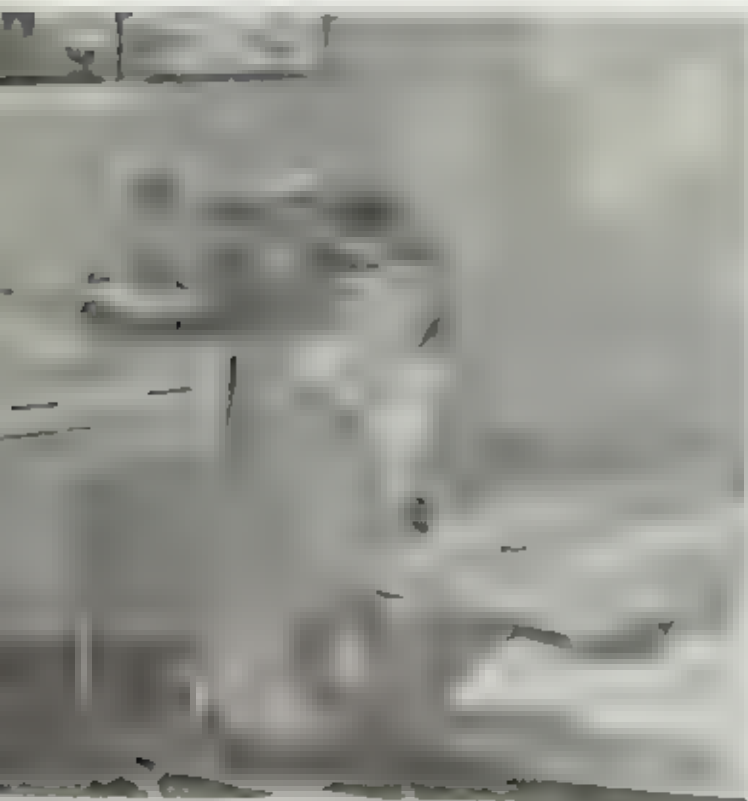


BUSINESS



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 LEWS F. S. C. ABOVE RIGHT BEN
 PEARL R. H. AS AND S. D. S.

CORE



TOP LEFT: Thelma Fredrick--7th & 8th Grade Core (English), and Chris Winters--7th & 8th Grade Core (English & Social Studies)
 BOTTOM LEFT: MaryAnn Ellison--Teacher Asst. BOTTOM RIGHT: Tom Leshy--7th & 8th Grade Core (Social Studies)

ENGLISH AND MEDIA



TOP LEFT: Madlyn L. Ostromberg English
 TOP RIGHT: I'll take this one and this
 one for what the week I'll take them ALL!
 MIDDLE LEFT: Nancy M. Media Art
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 BOTTOM LEFT: Debra Halderman Media
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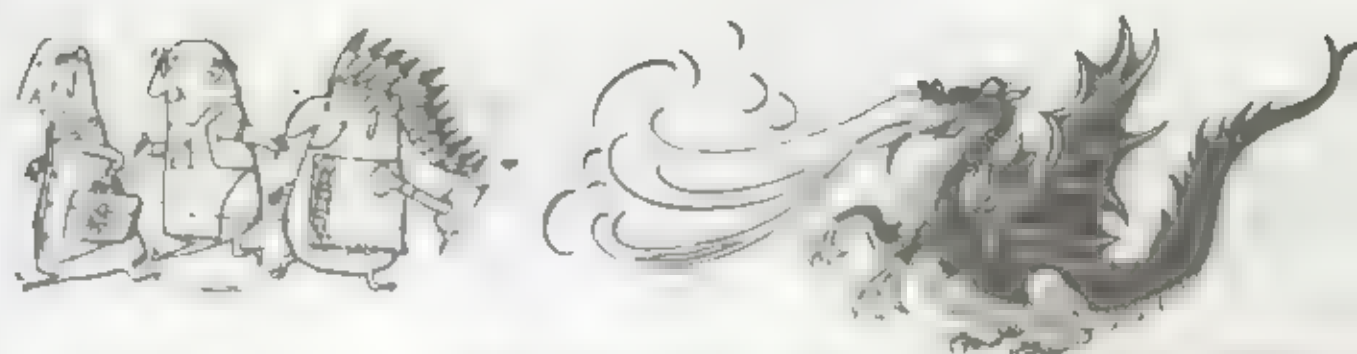
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TOP RIGHT Gary Waggoner Science BOT
TOM RIGHT: Joe Marik Science Director

MATH



TOP LEFT: John Rhodes—Math; TOP RIGHT: Here's another example of the over population in Mrs. Renard's Math class MIDDLE LEFT: Connie Renard Math MIDDLE RIGHT: "I wonder who's smarter?" BOTTOM LEFT: Tim Hoffman Math

P.E. AND SPANISH



TOP LEFT: Don Ozanne (B) P.E.
MIDDLE LEFT: Annette Hathaway
(G.) P.E.—Spanish

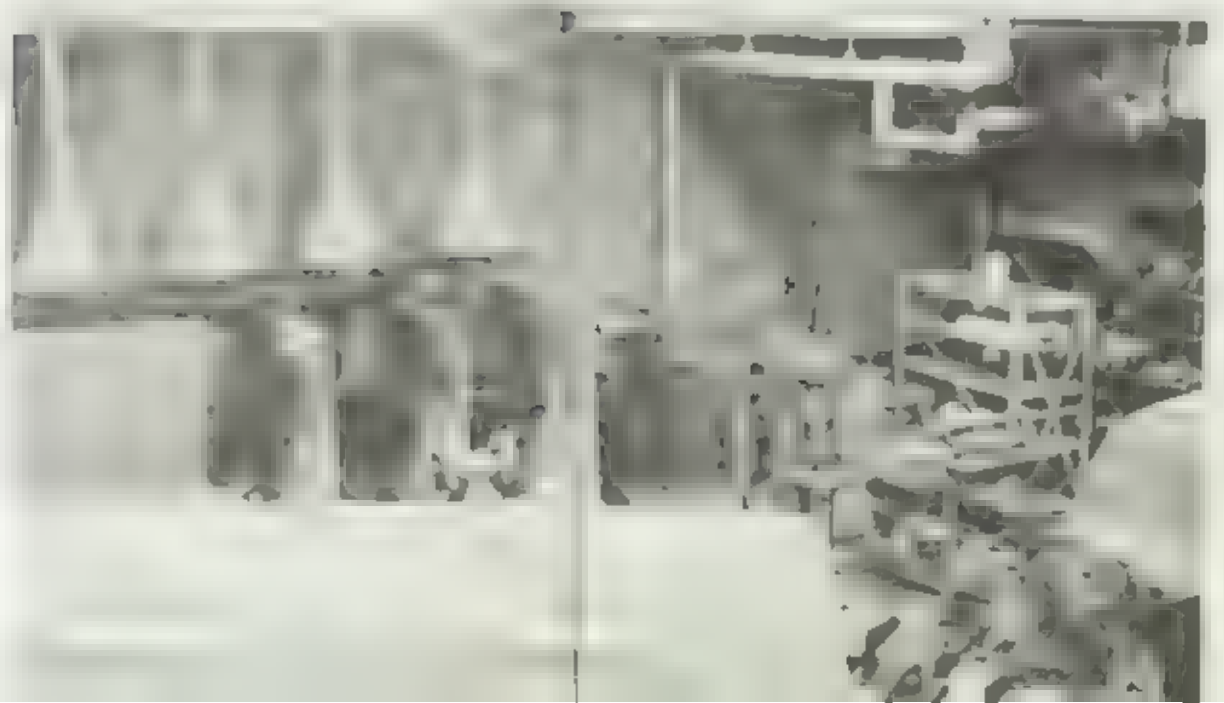
ART AND MUSIC



TOP LEFT Teri Fisher Vocals Music Teacher TOP RIGHT Madeline Cox Art Teacher BOTTOM LEFT Larry Even Instrumental Music Teacher

INDUSTRIAL ARTS: SHOP

Tammy don't try it



ABOVE LEFT Lowell Kruger-Industrial Arts-Shop. TOP CENTER. It's one thing to hijack a plane but a whole parade? TOP RIGHT Joe Verbeek-Vocational-Industrial Arts Center; MIDDLE RIGHT: James Novotny-Industrial Arts-Shop; BOTTOM RIGHT: NOT Wanted. The missing (?) shop class

HOME ECONOMICS



TOP LEFT Jan Verbeek Home Ec MIDDLE LEFT Marj Ostransky Home Ec. MIDDLE RIGHT Joe wonders "This is an ADULT LIVING class??? This may be a living class but its missing the adults." BOTTOM LEFT After watching Mark for a long time, Dave asks Mark, "Wouldn't you do a better job if you used thread?" Curt tells Dave that "you can't use thread if you don't have a needle in the machine"

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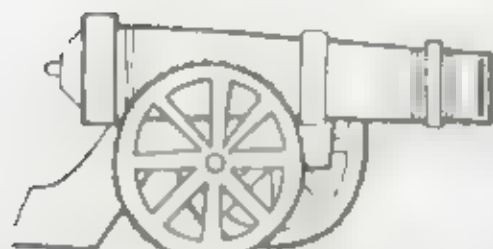
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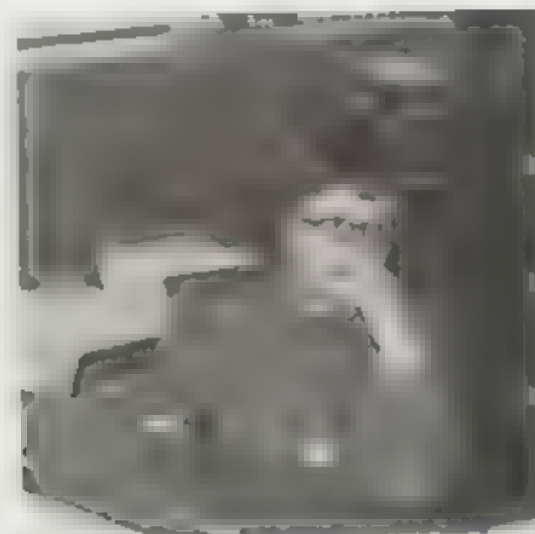
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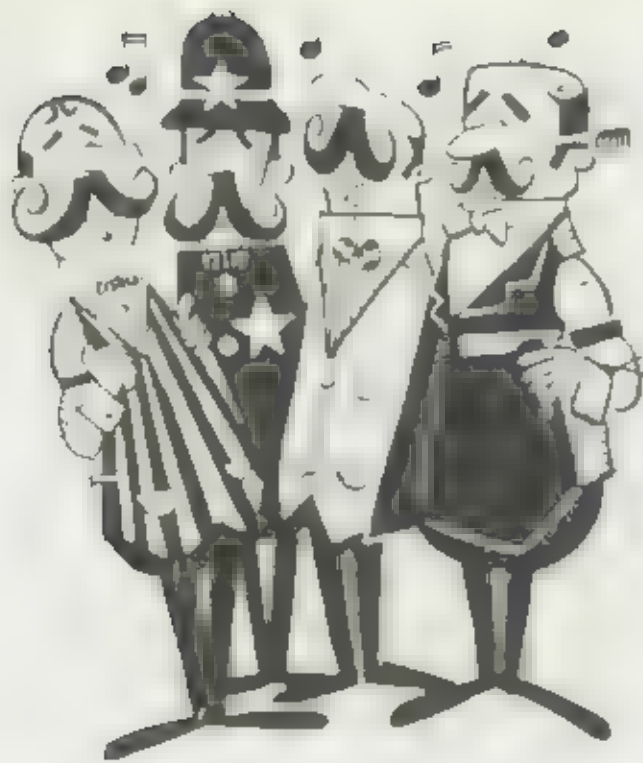
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I am 200 million people, living souls and the ghosts of millions who have lived and died for me.

I am Nathan Hale and Paul Revere. I stood at Lexington and fired the shot heard around the world. I am Washington, Jefferson and Patrick Henry. I am John Paul Jones, the Green Mountain Boys and Davy Crockett. I am Lee and Grant, and Abe Lincoln.

I remember the Alamo, the Maine and Pearl Harbor. When Freedom called, I answered and stayed until it was over, over there. I left my heroic dead in Flanders Fields, on the Rock of Corregidor, and the Black steppes of Korea.

I am the Brooklyn Bridge, the wheat lands of Kansas, the granite hills of Vermont, the potato fields of Wisconsin. I am the coalfields of the Virginias and Pennsylvania, the fertile lands of the Mid-west, The Golden Gate and the Grand Canyon. I am Independence Hall, the Monitor and the Merrimack.

I am big! I sprawl from the Atlantic to the Pacific, three million square miles throbbing with industry. I am more than five million farms. I am forest, field, mountain, desert. I am quiet villages and cities that never sleep.

You can look at me and see Ben Franklin walking down the streets of Philadelphia with his breadloaf under his arm. You can see Betsey Ross with her needle. You can see the lights of Christmas, and hear the strains of Auld Lang Syne as the calendar turns.

I am Babe Ruth and the World Series. I am 160,000 schools and colleges, and 250,000 churches where my people worship God as they like best. I am a ballot dropping in a box, the roar of a crowd at the stadium, and the voice of a choir in a cathedral. I am an editorial in a newspaper and a letter to a congressman.

I am Eli Whitney and Stephen Foster. I am Thomas Edison, Albert Einstein and Billy Graham. I am Horace Greeley, Will Rogers and the Wright Brothers. I am George Washington Carver, Daniel Webster and Jonas Salk.

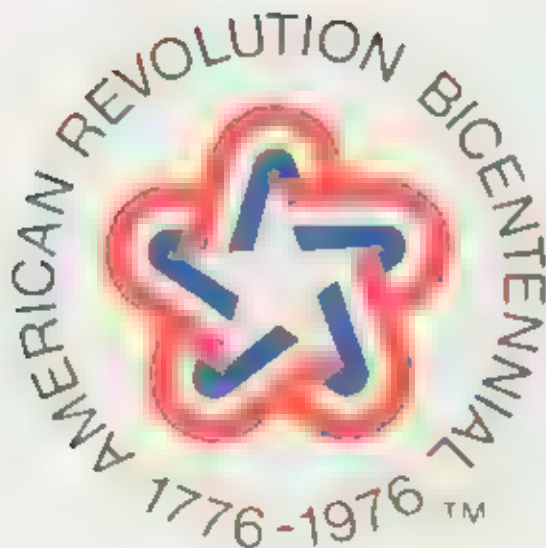
I am Longfellow, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Walt Whitman and Tom Paine. I am Philip Brooks, Billy Sunday and Bishop Quaver.

Yes, I am the Nation, and these are the things I am. I was conceived in Freedom and, God willing, in Freedom I will spend the rest of my days.

May I possess always the integrity, the courage, and the strength to keep myself unshackled, to remain a citadel of freedom and a beacon of hope to the world. This is my wish, my goal, and my prayer on this my birthday, two-hundred years after I was born.

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*"Don't Strike
the Colors.
... We Have
Just Begun
to Fight."*

Capt. John P. Jones




"These Are the Times That Try Men's Souls . . ."

Thomas Paine




1/ Captain John Paul Jones unfurled the first *Stars and Stripes* over the ocean when the young nation's banner, containing thirteen stars and thirteen stripes, was hoisted aboard the *Ranger*.
2/ From the deck of the captured British vessel *Serapis*, Capt. Jones and his crew watched as the American man-of-war, *Bonhomme Richard*, sank in victory, September 23, 1779. With the aid of friendly powers—namely France and Holland—and the leadership of commanders like Jones, the American fleet was able to effectively combat Britain's naval supremacy in the colonies.



3/ General John Stark led the colonial forces to victory at Bennington on August 11, 1777. The victory, along with an American triumph at Saratoga on October 12 of that year, brought France to the colonies' aid as an ally and was the turning point of the war.

4/ Outside of occupied Boston, colonial patriots organized themselves into a volunteer militia known as the *Minutemen*. On the eve of April 18, 1775, British troops numbering more than 800 were dispatched from Boston to seize colonial munitions stored at Concord. Forewarned, Paul Revere and others spread the alarm and the Redcoats were met by a determined band of Minutemen at Lexington. It was here that the famous "shot heard round the world" was fired. It is not known which side fired the first shot of that battle which marked the opening of outright hostilities and led to open war.

5/ The surrender of British troops under the command of General Charles Cornwallis at Yorktown on October 19, 1781, brought an end to all-out fighting. A few scattered skirmishes continued for over a year. However, complications of negotiation with England delayed the signing of a peace treaty for nearly two years. General George Washington, commander of colonial forces, accepted the British surrender at Yorktown and later presented the captured British flags to the Congress.



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Let It Begin Here."*

Capt. John Parker

1/ Capt. John Parker uttered those words as the colonial militia under his command prepared to meet the British troops at Lexington. Those words and the painting—*Spirit of '76*—exemplify the dedication and determination of the American patriots in their fight for independence. The colonies had organized to express their grievances in an effort to resolve the differences within the framework of the Empire. Several of the colonial legislatures had instructed their delegates to the Continental Congress in Philadelphia to oppose any move toward independence. The movement for independence was gaining strength and following the publication of Thomas Paine's *Common Sense*, which argued for colonial sovereignty, a resolution was adopted and a committee of five appointed to draft a declaration of independence. 2/ General Washington, who had been appointed commander-in-chief of American forces by the Second Continental Congress, was a brilliant military strategist. It was his decision to take his Continentals across the Delaware River on Christmas night which resulted in the first major colonial victory. That victory at Trenton over Hessian mercenaries gave the ragged army renewed vigor. Supported chiefly through the printing of Continental currency, the colonial army also went through the personal fortunes of many American patriots—among them Washington, Jefferson, Richard Henry Lee and John Adams. These fortunes were donated to the cause of liberty—a cause supported by about one-third of the American population which was near 2,000,000. Another one-third remained loyal to the English crown and the remainder were apathetic. Despite many defeats, the colonies managed to keep an army in the field as a symbol of American resistance, to guarantee a negotiated rather than dictated peace.



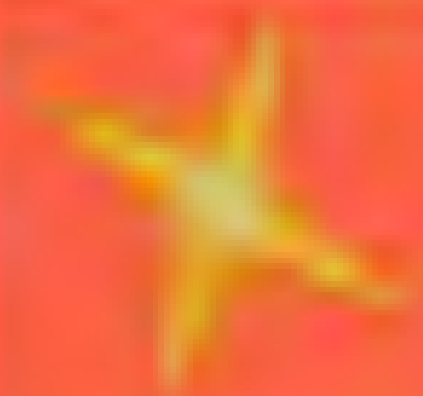


*"... Give Me Liberty
or Give Me Death!"*

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The war, in victory at Yorktown, Washington set the official date of the American Revolution. The Constitution with the executive branch, the president, and the cabinet for the new republic, and a system of executive offices took form in the Articles of Confederation. An army composed of Benjamin Franklin, John Adams and others was sent to negotiate with the British. It was the peace treaty of the peace conference known as the Treaty of Paris, was signed, ending the Revolutionary War, the United States of America. The Articles of Confederation, however, were weaknesses served to end the states and was when a special convention was held at Philadelphia. The new constitution was written. The meeting was attended by fifty five delegates representing thirty of the fifty twenty one states. The delegates represent thirty of the states met in May 1787 to revise the old constitution and to create a new one rather than amend the Articles of Confederation. The meeting that is now known is the Constitutional Convention.

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"Give me your tired,
your poor,

Your huddled masses
yearning to breathe free,

The wretched refuse

Of your dispossessed and

Send these, the homeless,

Temporarily or

For a truce

beside the golden door.







